

# CRIME CARNIVAL FEARED

## INSURANCE RATE MAY BE INCREASED 50%

### EVANGELIST DIRECTS 75 PENITENTS

Biederwolf Works for First Time Among People in Tabernacle

5,500 HEAR SERMON

Record Saturday Night Attendance, Despite Illumination Lack

For the first time during the evangelistic campaign, Dr. W. E. Biederwolf left the platform at the close of the sermon Saturday night and walked among the people seeking for those who would come to him and declare for service to God. About the platform, 75 penitents assembled and pledged themselves to be followers of Jesus Christ.

Despite the Christmas shopping and unlighted streets, 5,500 people attended the Saturday night meeting, by far the largest crowd that has been in the tabernacle on Saturday night. Dr. Biederwolf was very much pleased with the manner in which the people turned out, as he has been trying hard to build up the Saturday night attendance.

"Don't neglect your religion," Dr. Biederwolf said, in the course of his sermon on "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." "For if you do, your religious faculty will become dormant and will in the end be of no use to you. You are losing your chance of going to heaven. If you are lost and you will die, go to a home in hell to dwell with the devil forever. If you bind your arm to your side and don't use it, you will lose the use of it altogether and it will wither up and be a dead limb of a living tree. Likewise if you put your God and your mother's religion off to some future date when you will have more time it will be harder than ever to take the step for Christ and at last you will die without the love of God in your heart and you can't help but be lost. The most direct road to the devil's hell is the road of religious neglect."

### RED'S MOTHER PRESENT

The meeting was opened with a short song service by the choir, after which Dr. Biederwolf explained the reason that his musical director, John Ross Read, was sitting so quietly and without the usual noise and pep. "His mother is here tonight," said the evangelist, "and he has to be good. The best recommendation that I could get for John when I hired him was that he loved his mother. It is the best form of credentials a man ever had. If a man loves his mother, he is all right."

Read's sister, Miss Pauline Read, was also present and sang a solo, after which her brother came to the platform with her and they gave a duet. Miss Read will sing again today at the tabernacle services.

Every one in the house arose to their feet when Dr. Biederwolf asked how many enjoyed the singing. "Well," said he, "since you are on your feet, just reach your hand into your pocket and get the big money on top. We will take up the collection at this time. Let it be big, for it will without a doubt be your last chance to give for the tabernacle debt, since you will try and clear the rest away Sunday morning." The collection amounted to \$148.

Dr. Biederwolf announced that the churches will hold a joint meeting at the tabernacle Sunday morning and that Sunday school rally services will be held in the afternoon. Miss Florence E. Hay will give a talk at the young people's meeting to be held at the Market Street Presbyterian church at 6 p. m. Sunday. Dr. Biederwolf will preach at the tabernacle Sunday night.

Biederwolf dwelt Saturday night on the sin of life; how when we permit them to go on and on, they become each day harder to break away from. To illustrate his point he used for the subject of his sermon the story of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

The good Dr. Jekyll discovered a drug by the use of which he was able to change himself into a mischievous, sinful creature known as Edward Hyde. When in the trance of Hyde he was wicked and sinful. At last it became so easy to make the change that it happened to him unawares and he had great difficulty in changing back to Dr. Jekyll, his real self. Finally, it was too much for the old doctor, he could not change back and to escape the law that was hot on the trail of Edward Hyde, he killed himself while in his last trance of the hideous creature, Hyde.

"It is just that way in our lives," the evangelist declared. "If we allow ourselves a little sin, the power of sin will grow and grow until at last it will overwhelm our better selves and we will pass the line in our lives from which we will not be able to return to Christ."

It is only the law of nature itself," declared Biederwolf. "The

### PAIR KILLED BY POISON GAS ON WEDDING DAY

Fumes From Stove Bring Death to Columbus Bride and Groom—Bodies Found In New Home—Similar to Tragedy at Lancaster

COLUMBUS.—(United Press).—Carbon monoxide gas snuffed out the lives of a couple on their wedding day, police declared Saturday night following the finding of the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Zimpher, both 22.

The Zimpfers were married Wednesday. After the wedding party, they went to their newly furnished cottage. A few hours later as the fumes from a flueless gas stove in the bedroom grew stronger, the couple died.

First suspicion that something was wrong at the Zimpher home came Saturday night when Zimpher's brother told police that friends and relatives had seen neither of the newlyweds since their marriage night. He said he had been to the house several times, but no one seemed to be at home.

When the police broke down the door and entered the house, they found the bodies of Zimpher and his bride lying on the bed. Coroner Murphy said the condition of the bodies indicated the couple had died Wednesday night.

The Zimpher tragedy brings the death toll from carbon monoxide gas in Ohio within the last week and a half to eight. A week ago Wednesday police at Lancaster, under similar conditions, found the bodies of Irvin E. Henderson, his wife and four children.

State authorities, who at first thought the Lancaster poisoning was the result of eating contaminated food, later found a defective stove had flooded the room with poison gas. The welfare department at once took steps to prevent tragedies similar to the one at Lancaster and had only Saturday launched their "campaign of education" concerning gas heaters.

An open stove in the Zimpher home was burning brightly when police entered. Gas fumes were so dense in the room, police said, that they had to ventilate the house thoroughly before they could remove the bodies.

Zimpher, probably in a final struggle with death, tried to climb off the bed, police said. His body lay crossways of the bed.

### BLACK TO SERVE IN CABINET

Pomerene's Secretary Slated for Post With Donahey, Report

Hon. Arthur P. Black, former Ashtabula, Ohio, newspaperman and who has for 11 years served as private secretary to United States Senator Pomerene, is slated for appointment as a member of the cabinet of Governor-elect A. V. Donahey, according to reports from Columbus from what are considered to be reliable sources.

Altho Donahey has stated that he will not make public the personnel of his staff until after January 1, it is asserted on the broadest plane by those who are in the thick of the campaign that Black will occupy a seat at the Governor's council table and direct an important department in connection with the work of the administration. The Columbus source of information does not disclose the particular position to be accorded to Black.

During the recent campaign, Black was secretary to State Chief of Police W. W. Durbin, of the Democratic executive committee. In addition to directing the Pomerene campaign, The Ashtabula man was a member of the legislature 11 years ago, when Senator Pomerene was elected to the United States senate from Ohio by that body, over Frank Hanley of Dayton.

Black directed the fight in the legislature for Pomerene and was appointed by the Canton statesman as his secretary.

### CADETS ON STRIKE

Quit Military College When Football Player is Expelled

CHESTER, Pa.—(United Press).—Protesting against the expulsion of Hugh McCaffery, a football player from the Penn Military College, 13 cadets left the institution and were on "strike" Saturday.

McCaffery was expelled from the college because he left the school grounds Thanksgiving, after being instructed by college authorities to remain within the limits of the college.

As a result of the expulsion a group of students called on Colonel C. E. Hyatt and asked that McCaffery be reinstated, but this was refused.

### DARKNESS AUGMENTS FIRE RISK

Underwriters Make Survey Of Local Situation In Crisis

LOSS TO BUSINESS

Stores May Not Open at Night; Theatres Menaced

Blanket increases in the fire and burglary insurance rates by the companies writing protection in the city, one serious accident and the fear that more will follow, were the features of the second night of darkness in Lima.

Citizens who had been hopefully watching the attempts by Fair Luna to supply the necessary illumination, altho hampered by gathering clouds, were not heartened by the announcement by Lima insurance men that rates may be increased 50 percent by the "economy cuts."

Representatives of various insurance companies have been in the city during the past few weeks making complete surveys of the situation and are understood to be about ready to make a report. Glen Webb said Saturday.

Classes in insurance contracts call for a certain number of police and firemen and provide that should the forces be curtailed the rates would be made proportionately higher, he said.

While nothing definite has been given out by the insurance men, it is believed by Webb that the rates will be advanced at least 50 percent over those now in effect.

Other cities have much higher rates than Lima, due mainly to the efficient organization of the fire and police department here in the past, Webb said. It now seems as if the all advantage in the past will be lost thru the present cuts, he believes.

Promise of a \$25,000 cut in rates made by the companies at the time the water main extensions were completed has been withdrawn and will not be allowed by the various companies, C. A. Bingham, city manager, says.

This Luna will not only lose the effect of the new water mains, but will also be forced to pay much higher rates for protection because of the cuts in fire fighting forces, he points out.

Increased insurance costs will more than offset the savings to be seen thru the elimination of the street lights and the reduction in the police and fire department personnel, Bingham asserts.

It is feared by the insurance men that when the rates are once advanced in Lima it will require a tremendous increase in the forces of the two departments to obtain a reduction.

This will penalize the city for many months after the efficiency of the fire and police departments has been restored, they point out.

An accident which may be charged to the lack of street illumination following the turning off of all street lights was seen early Saturday night.

WOMAN INJURED  
Mrs. Doug Hughes, 730 S. Woodlawn, was run over and seriously injured by an automobile driven by her husband while attempting to park their vehicle near the tabernacle on S. Pierce at a few minutes before 7 p. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Hughes had alighted from the machine and had gone to the rear to direct her husband who was attempting to back the automobile into an opening between two machines near the pine temple.

Confused by the darkness Hughes lost control of the automobile and a sudden rush took Mrs. Hughes by surprise, knocked her down and as the vehicle backed it passed over her body.

Without seeing what he had done Hughes drove the car forward, running it over her wife's body again before she could rise or call out in alarm.

She was immediately removed to her home where it was discovered that she had suffered a broken bone and while painfully bruised will probably soon recover.

It is pointed out that this is the beginning of a number of accidents which are expected to be seen in Lima, especially when the moon is covered from view by clouds.

With lawlessness staring them in the face, injuries and narrow escapes from accidents and increases in fire and burglary insurance rates imminent, members of the city commission are refusing to take any action.

COMMISSION STAYS TIGHT  
"We are sticking tight to our announced policy and are waiting for definite and satisfactory answers to

### LIMA CRISIS IN BRIEF

Loss to Lima mercantile business and amusement houses may approximate half a million dollars during pre-holiday season.

Carnival of crime in city is feared by head of police department. Darkness aid to verge while efficiency of force is impaired.

Traffic accidents expected to increase at rapid rate with dark streets.

Petty thieving certain to increase because of conditions, Chief Lanker asserts.

Homes of churchgoers during tabernacle campaign may be ransacked by thieves at will. No policemen in residence districts.

Fire and burglary insurance rates may be increased 50 percent because of hazards, local agents declare.

### HALL-MILLS CASE STILL UNSOLVED



NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.—(Special)—The Hall-Mills murder case has gone into the dusty pigeon-hole.

### WIFE SLAIN, BURIED BY HUSBAND, WITNESS SAYS

Confession is Made in New York Murder Case

WOMAN LURED TO HER DEATH

Dealt Fatal Blow With Iron Pipe, Thrown in Pit

NEW YORK.—(United Press).—Reuben Norkin Saturday confessed to being an eye-witness to the murder and lonely burial of Mrs. Jennie Becker, according to a statement made by Detective James McCarteen. Norkin said he was with Abraham Becker, when the latter killed his wife and dragged her some 30 feet to the old boiler pit.

The confession was made after Norkin had been confronted with a bloody piece of pipe with which the murder is said to have been committed.

The confession was said to have been signed by Norkin in the presence of a detective and two other officials.

From this information and testimony given by many other witnesses, including Becker himself, Assistant Attorney Cohen has been able to reconstruct the events leading up to and following the murder, he said Saturday.

RETURN FROM VISIT  
According to Cohen's theory this is what happened:

Mr. and Mrs. Becker were calling on their friends, the Zunders, and left about 12:30 on the morning of April 7, driving away in Becker's automobile. Becker drove to Norkin's repair shop, reaching there at about 1 o'clock. Norkin was not at home, but Becker found him in a lunch wagon and the three, Norkin and the Deckers went to Norkin's shop.

At this point Becker suggested that his wife get out and listen to the engine which he had purposely been feeding an over-supply of gas. As the woman leaned over, she was struck from behind with a piece of pipe. As she fell, her coat was thrown over her head to stifle any outcry.

THROWN IN PIT  
As soon as she fell her body was trussed up with ropes and she was taken to the old boiler pit and thrown in. It was but the work of a moment in the dark lonely lot. Norkin stood by his shop, ready to give a warning if anyone approached, while Becker took the unconscious and bleeding woman to her lime-filled grave.

### CHIEF SEES DANGER IN LIGHT LACK

Lanker, However, Scores Report of Thug Assembly Here

WARNING IS GIVEN

Special Effort to Be Made To Get Line on Crooks

BULLETIN.  
Aroused from sleep by the breaking of glass in a window of her bedroom early Sunday morning, Lida Alexander, 504 Ottawa-st., beheld a masked man, armed with a revolver in the act of entering. She screamed around the household. The intruder fled, leaving behind a bandana handkerchief used as a mask. Police who rushed to the house failed to find the burglar.

That a carnival of lawlessness will likely be enacted in Lima, following close in the wake of the advent of lightless nights, was admitted by Chief of Police Thomas A. Lanker, Saturday night. About a day's arrestees for posting his findings, for to cope with the critical situation.

Especially was Lanker of the opinion that the department will be kept busy running down petty robberies. Dark streets and alleys will open wide the door of opportunity for petty offenders, he believes.

It does not require a police officer, Lanker declared, to know that there is bound to be a vast increase in this sort of criminal activity.

Lanker scooped reports that a large "mob" or gang of crooks had located in Lima in the last 24 hours, attracted by the prospect of semi-security afforded by dark streets and avenues.

GANGSTERS FEARED  
Presence in the city of a band of hold-up men and strong arm gangsters, is reported by a former police officer. He asserted Saturday night he was confident he had seen and recognized several well known crooks.

Whether the men he saw had been in the city long he could not say. He was of the opinion that they might be scouts for a strongly organized outfit working out of Toledo, Detroit, or elsewhere.

They will get the lay of the land and if prospects are good, will give the signal for their confederates to follow later, he believes.

If such a crowd had arrived in Lima, Lanker has not learned of it, he said. Since the lightless edict was given, Lanker said he had issued instructions to his detectives to cover carefully all avenues of egress and ingress to the city.

Steam line stations, interurban cars and garages will be watched to get a line on the arrival of possible bands of yeggs. High school gamblers and thugs who flock here to ply their notorious vocation.

With but half a force, containing few veteran officers, Lanker admitted that the police department has a difficult task ahead in the lightless months to come.

Where a total of 50 patrolmen and at least 10 additional officers is needed to guard properly the city, the department now numbers but two dozen and one man including Chief Lanker.

When questioned as to his opinion on citizens acting as their own protectors, as was done in the early days in the west when every man was armed, Lanker said he does not approve of the idea.

ADVICE TO PUBLIC  
He advised the public to depend on the telephone to get into quick communication with the police department, in an emergency.

There will regularly be one and generally two emergency men at the station, ready to speed toward the scene of a crime at short notice. The officer on Main-st. can also be notified by means of a red light and alarm bell.

"Lock doors and windows," when leaving home is the suggestion made to householders by the chief for felling burglars and second story workers.

Darkness is also calculated to stimulate theft of automobiles and accessories, according to Lanker. Especially in places where many cars are parked outside places of public gathering. Robes and other valuables, at least should not be left in the machines, he said.

Church goers are very likely to be among the principal victims of depredations, as was the case during last winter, when several church boards employed private policemen to guard autos during services.

Just what steps would be taken to rid the city of the presence of known criminals, Lanker did not disclose.

There are a number of men in

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### WEATHER

WASHINGTON.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:  
Ohio Valley and Region of Great Lakes.—Considerable cloudiness, temperature normal or slightly below normal, occasional light rains or snows.



## RUSSIA MAY FORCE LAUSANNE BREAK

Will Aid Turks in Opposing Freedom of Straits

### U. S. ENVOY INTERVENES

Urges Allies to Stand Together For Neutralization

(BY HENRY WOOD)  
LAUSANNE. (United Press.)—Russia opposes neutralization of the Dardanelles Foreign Minister Tschirch, told the United Press Saturday, upon his arrival to lead the Russian delegation at one of the crucial moments of the Near Eastern conference.

Admittedly the most masterly diplomat in Europe today, Tschirch will lend his aid to the Turks at a time when the allies are already retreating before the Ottoman demands.

In order to stiffen the allied front, American Ambassador Child intervened again Saturday to urge no surrender on the question of capitulations, but allied diplomats are wavering and a break up of the conference under the guise of a postponement is feared.

Ambassador Child did not touch upon the question of the Straits, but urged England, France, Japan and Italy, on behalf of the United States to stand together.

He acknowledged the necessity of finding a solution acceptable to the Turks but said there was no need to sacrifice guarantees embodied in the capitulations.

**FEARS ENGLISH CONTROL.**  
Declaring most emphatically Russia's support of the Turks, Tschirch said, the "neutralization" of the Straits, as planned by the allies, was making it possible for England or some other strong power to step in at an opportune moment and seize control.

"There are only two ways to save the Straits problem," he said.

"The first is an 'international regime,' the second means recognizing Turkey's sovereign rights.

"We oppose the first situation because any international combination either based upon the league of nations or on an international commission simply means that the Straits and the Black Sea will be dominated by the nation with the most powerful navy.

"The Straits are to be 'free' for warships as well as merchantmen, this is only another way of saying that the country with the strongest navy can at any time enter the Black Sea and establish a naval base here.

"And even if the Straits are closed to warships but controlled internationally, the strongest naval power could not be prevented at any moment from forcing a passage.

"This will inevitably convert the Black Sea into a lake dominated by the power with the strongest navy.

"It is also illogical to discuss a demilitarized Straits regime when such a solution has not been suggested for Gibraltar, Suez and Singapore.

**EFFORTS RESENTED.**  
"The reported plans for the establishing of a naval base in Rumanian waters justifies our fears that with the Straits open to warships the country seeking oil concessions may back up its economic which forms the bridge to Persia and Central Asia.

"Russia already feels and resents the efforts which have for their final object the complete encroachment of Turkey.

The Russian foreign minister affected to be shocked in the circumstances at the use of the "onorous word liberty" by the allies in connection with their settlement of offensive with naval forces. At attempt might be made to establish footholds in the trans-Caucasia, the Straits question, as well as the way the allies employed "pseudo-peace" for their "demilitarization" when they only sought conquest by the strongest naval power.

"Such a solution is absolutely unacceptable to Russia," he affirmed. Russia wants a guarantee of their southern coast line so that a durable regime of peace can be established in the Black Sea.

"The soviets," he said, "the fundamental principle of whose policy is to let every people govern itself, consider the only equitable, practical and workable solution is the complete closing of the Dardanelles to the warships of all nations and the maintenance of the principle of the society of the Turkish people on their own territory and the waters within their system.

"Czar Nicholas has already said that to transform Constantinople into an international city was only to hand it over to the strongest naval power.

"We differ from the czar in other respects but the facts remain unchanged.

"The Turks will rise up against any possibility of robbing them of their sovereign rights."

### FARM BUREAU PLANS ACTIVITIES FOR WEEK

Farm bureau activities for the coming week will include annual meetings of the township organizations, school exhibits and a district meeting of the farm agents of this part of the state.

Annual meetings will be held in Anglinville Monday night; Bath Tuesday night; American Springs Wednesday night and Spencer Thursday night. Women of Bath will meet Monday night at the home of Mrs. W. G. Miller.

Regular monthly meeting of the county agents from Allen, Putnam, Paulding, Hardin, Mercer, Logan, Defiance, Augie and Hancock counties will be held in the chamber of commerce auditorium Thursday.

School children of Shawnee township hold their annual contest Friday in the Shawnee township house. All kinds of farm products, baked goods and a stock padding contest will feature the day. Competition is open to boys and girls.

## MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

### PASTOR RETURNS

Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall, Cleveland, formerly pastor of Christ Episcopal church in this city, returned to his home Saturday after a short stay here with McCabe Howe, N. Collett-st. Rev. O'Ferrall came to this city to officiate at the Enck-Wheeler nuptials.

### HOME FROM COLUMBUS

William Cunningham, a student at Ohio State University, is the weekend guest of his father, Frank Cunningham, S. Collett-st.

### CHURCH COUNCIL TO MEET

Council of Bethany Lutheran church will meet at the home of the pastor, Rev. Webster Spayde, 225 S. McDonel-st., Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.

### LEAVES FOR SOUTH

Jack Lynch returned Saturday to Haynesville, Louisiana, after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynch, W. High-st., over Thanksgiving.

### POLICE TRAIL YOUTH

Police were on the trail Saturday of a small boy, believed to have stolen a bicycle belonging to Wallace Stuart, 687 1/2 W. Spring-st., from the curb in front of Michael's store, 203 N. Main-st., Friday afternoon. The machine is painted red, according to the description given the police.

### SHILOH MAYOR HERE

W. Black, mayor of the village of Shiloh, Richmond-co., was a visitor in Lima Saturday. He called on Mayor John Mack.

### GRAND OFFICERS COMING

Mrs. Edith Newkirk, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters of Ohio, and Mrs. Katherine Schmueckle, Dolphos, district deputy grand chief, will be guests of the local Pythian Sisters at a gathering Monday evening in the Guelph Hall. A program in charge of Mrs. John Vogelgesang, chairman of the entertainment committee, will be presented.

### DILLER FUNERAL TODAY

Final services for Philip Diller, 70, who died at the City Hospital Thursday, will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the residence of Rev. Thomas Lee, burial in the Miller cemetery. Diller is survived by his widow, two daughters, a brother and three grandchildren.

Neal Shaw, Harold Allen and Darrell Ciespi will return to Lafayette, Ind., Sunday to resume their studies at Purdue University after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with their parents in this city.

Mrs. William Wiggins, 1003 W. North-st., who has been seriously ill, is slightly improved.

Mrs. M. J. Lynch, W. High-st., who underwent an operation at St. Rita's hospital, recently, is improving nicely.

### VOTE ON AMENDMENT

Special meeting of the Lima club will be held Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. An amendment to the constitution permitting assessments will be discussed by the membership.

### CITY SEEKS FUNDS

Complaint has been sent out by the city to the state health commission requesting that funds be advanced at once to pay the state's share of the cost of the Lima health department, C. A. Bingham, city manager, announced Saturday. More than \$3,000 is due the city.

### INFECTION FROM SCRATCH

Charles B. Lambert, 407 S. Metcalf-st., entered St. Rita's hospital Saturday for treatment for his hand, infected from a scratch by a chicken's claw, which he received about ten days ago.

### MAYORS, MANAGERS TO MEET

Invitations to all Ohio mayors

## DANGER SEEN IN LIGHT LACK

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Lima, he said, who have police records.

"As long as they are good," declared Lanker, "we won't bother them. I don't think many of them will turn bad all at once."

Lanker said that a similar class exists in every large city. It does not pay the police to molest them as long as they behave themselves.

He estimated there were perhaps 50 such characters in Lima. They have to live some place, he declared, and are not dangerous when kept under surveillance.

### PLANS FOR PROTECTION

With the small force at his command, Lanker declared it was impossible to patrol the residence section. Precautions in the downtown center, will not be lessened. Lack of lights will not be so severe a handicap in the business section, he believed.

Lanker said the department stands ready to do its best in the emergency. While admitting petty thieving and hold-ups will probably be more common, due to lack of lights, the chief believes the department can still cope with big jobs. They can be guarded against better than small ones.

The department will be aided in the downtown section are night by merchant police, who are paid by merchants. A number of such officers are already at work, and the force, is to be augmented in the near future by employment of additional men, it is announced.

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## 'STABILIZE MONEY' EXPERT URGES

Facist Movement in Italy Threatens United States

### SITUATION IS ANALYZED

Prof. Irving Fisher, Economist, Writes of Problem

Leaders in politics, industry and labor are viewing with misgiving the Fascist movement in Italy and the gains of the Labor Party in England and elsewhere. It predicts that the same idea of the political domination of labor will soon appear more explicitly in America and will threaten the existing order.

(By IRVING FISHER)  
Professor of Political Economy, Yale University.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—(Special.)—A recent circular sent to bankers and employers expresses deep anxiety over the Fascist victory in Italy and the gains of the Labor Party in England and elsewhere. It predicts that the same idea of the political domination of labor will soon appear more explicitly in America and will threaten the existing order.

I believe that bankers and employers, not to say the rest of us, have cause for anxiety. But what the circular overlooks is that, as Roosevelt so often warned us, the only real escape from the danger of an overturn lies in redressing real grievances.

What is needed is to interpret the recent labor unrest as symptoms of social diseases needing to be cured.

There are several such social diseases which I could name, and probably several others which would be revealed by searching investigation. But here I shall point out only one—probably by far the most important. This is the unstable money growing out of the war.

**ROOT OF EVIL.**  
But what has unstable money to do with recent labor unrest? We do not remember seeing any mention of it in the newspapers. Yet to find it we do not have to seek far. We can trace our way back in three simple steps from the recent political demonstration of labor discontent to unstable money as a prime cause.

The first step brings us to unemployment as the grievance which, more than any other, caused labor to make its recent political commotion. The English labor pre-election "manifesto" said, among other things:

"Unemployment and low wages, caused largely by the policy of the Liberal and Unionist government, have brought distress to the bulk of the working people."

Since the election in which labor came off second best, the unemployed have been demanding a hearing with Bonar Law.

**MIRRORED IN VOTE.**  
In other words, labor in England held the Lloyd George government responsible for the vast unemployment during the last two years and will hold the Bonar Law government responsible for putting an end to unemployment.

The opportunity to work is likewise the demand of the Fascist in Italy. In America also the backswing of the last election is largely because of the depression of trade and unemployment.

Next we trace back this depression of trade and unemployment, whether in America, England, Italy, or elsewhere, to the fall of prices in 1920 and 1921. Always and inevitably a great fall of prices kills enterprise, closes factories, discourages farmers and throws men out of work.

Going still further back, we may trace the fall of prices to the deflation of credit and money beginning early in 1920. As Professor Cassel, of Sweden, shows so clearly in his "Money and Foreign Exchange After 1914," just published, and as every other economist knows so well, this

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## LADY-IN-WAITING



Mme. Germaine Zisso, famed as one of the most beautiful members of Rumanian nobility, has been appointed lady-in-waiting by Queen Marie of Rumania.

restriction of credit which bankers in so many countries began in 1920 was the main reason for the fall of prices which bankrupted thousands of farmers and business men and made millions of workers idle.

**CAUSES WORK.**  
And there you have it: The chain of causes. Deflation, fall of prices, unemployment, producing political vindictiveness.

Whenever deflation or inflation occurs somebody's toes are trod on and discontent and unrest result. First we complain over the high cost of living and then over the depression of trade.

If those now so anxious over labor unrest, for fear their own pocketbooks will be injured, once realized that there are those real grievances from inflation and deflation (which are what "unstable money" means) they would do something else than wring their hands in bewildered anxiety.

They would take measures to prevent inflation and deflation—that is, to stabilize the purchasing power of money. Incidentally this would not only prevent the real grievances mentioned but would help their own pocketbooks.

**INSTABILITY BOLSHIEVISM.**  
As stated at the outset, of course, there are other grievances. But it is doubtful if any are so important as those produced by inflation and deflation. Lord D'Abernon, now British ambassador to Germany and one of the masters of this subject, once said that he believed 90 per cent of the world's bolshievism came from stable money. That is a higher percentage than I would ascribe, but I believe over 50 per cent would be a conservative estimate.

And the worst of it is that neither labor nor capital has yet clearly seen the situation. "Labor is therefore now on the rampage and is quite likely to hang the wrong man to the lamp-post; while capital does nothing except to demand that nothing be done. When both sides demand and obtain stable money over half of their difficulties will disappear."

Next we trace back this depression of trade and unemployment, whether in America, England, Italy, or elsewhere, to the fall of prices in 1920 and 1921. Always and inevitably a great fall of prices kills enterprise, closes factories, discourages farmers and throws men out of work.

Going still further back, we may trace the fall of prices to the deflation of credit and money beginning early in 1920. As Professor Cassel, of Sweden, shows so clearly in his "Money and Foreign Exchange After 1914," just published, and as every other economist knows so well, this

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## LIFE SPURNED BY MISS STONE

Pleads for Death Following Attempt at Suicide

### KILLED MAN SHE LOVED

Nothing to Live for Now, Nurse Tells Doctors

NEW YORK. (United Press.)—Olivia M. P. Stone killed the man she loved. A jury found "justification" for her act and held she should be within eight months after her assassination take her place in society liberation. Miss Stone is now demanding that she be permitted to die. The life spared her: by the jury, she spurns. The freedom for which she fought, she has found worse than death.

"Everything that was dear to me has gone from my life," is the dying cry of the nurse as she refers to Ellis Guy Kinkadee, former corporation lawyer of Cincinnati with whom she lived as a common law wife and then shot to death when he left her.

Miss Stone was cheered by a great crowd in the Brooklyn court when her acquittal was announced. Men and women stopped her on the street to congratulate her. Then the drama ended. The tragedy of living in a world whose laws she had defied began. She became a waitress in a restaurant. For months Stone was swallowed up in the vastness of New York.

Late Friday she appeared again. She took a room at a Broadway hotel. Soon afterward groans were heard. She was found writhing on the bed in pain. Miss Stone had taken 20 grains of barbiturate of mercury. She fought physicians who sought to administer antidotes. She demanded that since she had nothing to live for that she be permitted to die. An ambulance was called and still she fought. It was necessary to

asked by one of the physicians who did not regret the death of Kinkadee, Miss Stone said: "I do not. I rejoice in it. I loved him. No other could have him. But now taking that was dear to me taken from me. Let me die. With 25 grains of the barbiturate, surgeons believe will die by Monday. The doctors slowly but after it tained a grip there is no need."

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County Health Commissioner  
Urges County Meet Quota

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Starting Facts Concerning Ravages of Disease

Sale of Christmas seals has been endorsed by County Health Commissioner J. J. Sutter.

"Money derived from the sale of these little seals is necessary," Sutter said, "in fighting tuberculosis. There were 117 deaths in Allen-co from white plague in 1921 and statistics prove that there are nine active cases of tuberculosis to every death. This means that in Allen-co there are 1,053 threaten cases of the malady needing care."

Reappearance of the Christmas seals for the 10th season is pointed out as a reminder of the progress made in Ohio and in the nation in decreasing the ravages of tuberculosis and also the problem which is still to be met. "We are about to enter upon another nation-wide campaign which will bring before all the people the importance of health conservation, with particular reference to the subject of tuberculosis prevention," Sutter said.

"The death rate from tuberculosis in Ohio has been cut from 150 per 100,000 in 1910 to 59 per 100,000 in 1921. Since 1904, the year in which the educational campaign to prevent and stamp out this disease was started by the National Tuberculosis Association, the death rate has been cut in half in the United States. Had the 1924 death rate prevailed, we should have lost 50,000 more persons in 1921. Had the 1910 rate prevailed in Ohio, there would have been 8,700 deaths from tuberculosis in 1921 instead of 5,271."

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"The proceeds from the sale of the seals in the Allen-co health district, which includes all of the county save Lima and Delphos, will remain in the district, to be used in the health work among our boys and girls, which means prevention of tuberculosis," Sutter declares.

In urging the people to buy seals thru village or district schools, Sutter advances the necessity of the county meeting its quota in the crusade for better health. There is no work in which we are engaged that is so useful as that of protecting the health of our boys and girls, the county officer declares. Funds raised thru the annual sale of Christmas seals are being used for preventive work among children. It is a noble and necessary measure of self-protection in which everyone can take a part and from which every individual derives some benefit, Sutter adds.

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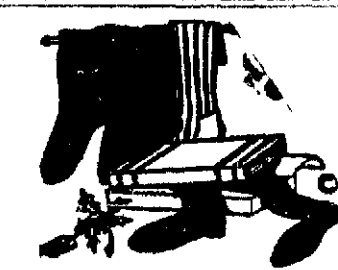
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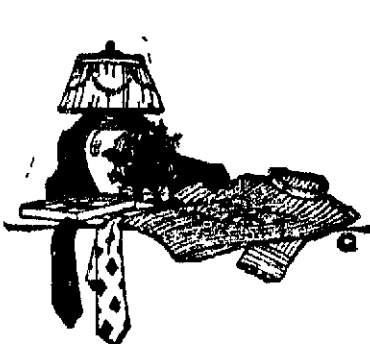
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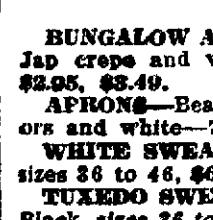
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C.O.P. WINGS IN DEATH GRAPPLE  
War Rages Under Surface in Columbus, Washington  
"IRREPRESSIBLE CONFLICT"

Reflection from Columbus on Ohio Politics  
THE LIMA NEWS BUREAU, Columbus, December 5.—(Special).—While people are watching the unfolding of the plot in the drama—or comedy (which ever it is)—of state affairs, it must not be forgotten that there are high points to be observed. One of them is the contest for domination between the Old Guard and the Progressive elements within the ranks of the Republican majority in the Ohio General assembly, because it is taking no less in Washington than in Columbus, and no less in Columbus than in Washington. The Old Guard cannot divorce itself from the idea that it must play the game of putting the state administration in the hole and it has heard with misgivings the expressed sentiment of many of the members to co-operate with Governor-elect A. V. Donahey for the good of the state. To combat that tendency it is the wish of the O. G. (Old Guard) element to cultivate a spirit of aloofness and hostility toward any plans that the Governor may have. Congressman Charles L. Knight, of Akron, has already charged such a conspiracy in under way and confirmation is not lacking from the moaning spirits in the plot. They are seeking to emphasize the claim that the General assembly is to be a Republican body and by that they emphasize that it is to be a Harding-Willis-Lodge-Hynicka type. The measure of the General assembly will be in the manner in which it yields to this influence. There is here what may be called the "irrepressible conflict."

In itself, the contest may not be a bad thing. It ought to put Governor-elect Donahey on his mettle as nothing else can do. He has the trumps of a sympathetic audience in his hands and if he expends them carefully they will see him safely thru the perils. He cannot afford to provoke conflicts, neither can he afford to abandon any essential part of his program. The organization of the General assembly need not worry him and he does wisely in keeping his own counsel for the present and in going slowly. Naturally, his plan of meeting all seekers here in his conference has attracted both kinds of comment, but in the fact that these sessions are to be resumed next week may be read the indication that they have been highly satisfactory and productive of much information. The despatches which tell us that he has not hesitated to inform applicants in some instances that he cannot appoint them are only a reflex of the unusual character of the man and of his way of doing things. Donahey is sitting, sitting, and sorting and in not a few cases the solutions are evolving themselves.

As has been noted, the first conflict will be in the organization of the General Assembly, but it will not be the last. The effort of the Republican members who, feel the urge of progressive theory, in organization matters may be only a gesture. They have already taken the lead in asking that Senatorial confirmations may be made of the Donahey cabinet appointments and the announcement this week that their request is to be granted, makes it certain that the group can make itself felt and feared. Where contests for legislative leadership posts are waged between or among two or more mid-line men who will follow willingly the Harding type of leadership it will be the progressive same to wait and watch. Opportunities will develop during the session for them to show whether they have any following. It must not be forgotten that in Washington the reactionary element of the Republican party did the organizing and probably will do the organizing in the next Senate and House of Representatives. If that much can be done, the Old Guard may have exhausted its resources. The one thing that will be forgotten is that another election is coming along.

And already there is heard from progressive lips the complaint that the reactionaries do not care much about that and the additional charge they would rather see a full Democratic victory with themselves in control of the party machinery than victory for the insurgent element under the auspices of the Republican organization. Here, too, confirmation is not wanting, for it is well recalled that in Iowa, the President's own father opposed Colonel Smith W. Brainerd on the ground that he is a socialist. In Ohio the Harding kind of Republicans opposed Senators John F. Burke of Elvira and C. H. Bender of Cleveland, but they led their tickets. Whether in Columbus as in Washington the progressive Republicans will become a disorganized mob of complainers and not only for destructive opposition or whether they will become a disciplined force of constructive purposes worthy of respect, is one of the problems. In the November election, the progressives took vengeance on Colonel Carmi A. Thompson by voting for Donahey and their present disposition is to follow his leadership still. In the mill of conference, the next chief claim is weighing this fact, too, just as he is balancing other facts pertinent to the hour. The situation calls for skill and tact.

By a policy which shall stamp the party as the broadly liberal one, Democracy has its opportunity in the times of intestine strife in the ranks of Republicans. Governor Donahey may become a strong figure in the country by a wise course at this time, a course at once free from the arts of the demagogue and yet entirely aloof from standpointism. If Democratic Governors generally about the country fail, the move-

ment for a third party will grow and grow. If they display talent, they will be high assets for their party in 1924 the they aspire for no new bosses. This very sentiment can work to eliminate many candidates for state positions and leave no bad tastes. The force of circumstances make good luck for Donahey. The summary of all observers who weigh carefully seems to be that the country wants tranquility and progress and that if it takes its guidance from the LaPollettes and the Shipettes it will be only because no other alternative is presented. There are people who claim that even certain nabobs of great industry and high finance will be content if the country is rescued from the type of radical which has been nurtured thru stupid reactionary control. In the crisis produced by the failure of the Harding regime, the Democratic party may be the rescuer, the very center of safety until the storms are over.

There are others who state it in a different way when they say that the radicals will be forced to bolt while the Harding regime will be driven to its own end by a sort of political suicide. In this light is explained the onslaught which carried the President into the advocacy of the ship subsidy and into the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill. Thru a wrecking policy the menace of LaPolletteism may be averted by a plan that will automatically produce a Democratic victory. To Harding has been given the thankless task of ending his own career by the very extremity of the measures he sponsors. Here, indeed, is a plot suggestive of the demoniacal diplomacy of a Tallyrand. In the background, too, is the idea of abandoned hope that Harding and his associates can ever do anything to promote American standing abroad, involving also American industrial and economic and financial welfare. Thus, there are more than local reasons why the nation will actually look with interest upon what happens in Ohio and whether the Buckeye Democracy is able to resume the task of government where it was laid down two years ago.

Meanwhile, no one is to be permitted to forget that the country is now in its third month of the blessings of the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill and that living costs have increased two per cent as a part of that period of "normalcy" which was promised. It is remarked that here is a queer sign of normalcy. It is one of the things that the so-called progressives of the present time display little zeal in attacking. Tariff for home products have eliminated time being from national life, while tariff for local products have been a tremendous handicap to the farm bloc. The bloc got the tariff but it did them no good, as farm products are lower today than they were under the low tariff. The recent rise in the price of corn being about sufficient to pay for marketing the crop after it has been grown.

One of the incidents of a party victory in state affairs is ever the demand of extremists for ravishing all the places in sight. This sentiment appears to be behind the demand for the scalp of H. E. Scott, superintendent of banks of the state of Ohio. Scott allowed no politics to interfere in his department during his incumbency and had Governor Harry L. Davis had the good fortune to surround himself with men like Scott it seems probable that he never, never, never would have been in all the muss he has been in. At this time there are more Democrats in the office than Republicans and that has not worried Scott. It speaks well, however, for the independence of his administration. The policy accounts for a lot of pressure that is growing for the retention of Mr. Scott under Governor Donahey. The sentiment that he be retained does not spring from partisan inspiration. Thousands of normal Republicans, or rather thousands of persons who are Republicans in normal years voted for Donahey. His retention of Scott might be construed as a recognition of their aid to him. And it would offend a very minimum of Democrats because the post is drifting out of the class of party spoils. If Davis found it wise to respect the integrity of the service, there is little reason why his successor should hasten to do otherwise.

Those who knew Senator Alton Pomerene best received as a matter of course a few days ago the story that he planned to return to Canton to practice law after the close of his term in the United States Senate. It is not the Pomerene type to be looking for "lame duck" positions. He has given twelve years of his life, the best years, to unselfish service and he leaves Washington with few but kindly expressions from his constituents, including even the very men who helped defeat him. Senator Pomerene must often wonder whether service of the kind he has given pays. He regrets to build up his personal fortune when he is near 60 years of age and after many other men have well established themselves. It is doubtful whether Pomerene would have done differently if he had it to do over again. The expression he used most often during the campaign was that he expected to stand on his record and to take the consequences. He had no apology for any of it because he believed he was acting conscientiously. In his law practice in Canton he will find that he has well wishers who will hope for him success and plenty of it.

Tinkering with election laws will be a midwinter pastime for the Ohio General assembly. Goodness knows they need it! There ought to be ways of expediting the count, particularly in the cities. If all the vote of a precinct is in there ought to be no reason why the count should not begin at once, no matter what time in the afternoon it is. Such a provision would help. Then the double board system might be installed in the country places. Moreover, there will be sentiment for changing the law so that election boards in the counties will not be paid for manufacturing new precincts. As usual, Cincinnati wants to get away from annual registration which involves waste of time and money and heavy inconvenience for city dwellers. Permanent registration may be open to objection but quadrennial registration works well enough. There will be sentiment, too, for making it in presidential years when the maximum vote is out. At the same time, there will be those to urge that all metropolitan districts be taken in and not merely the city limits districts. The present law opens the way for fraud.

From the opposite end of the state the question that seems to be agitated is the restoration of the party nominating conventions as the Cleveland idea. Inasmuch as the city took the lead in getting state conventions abolished it is only logical that it should ask that they be restored. That's progress. It goes so rapidly it meets itself coming back. The proposed law would sanction official nominating conventions and submit the results to voters for their ratification at a sort of primary. The combined primary-convention plan is now hailed as a proposal for "accuracy, simplicity and responsibility." It may be all three. In accuracy it may be said that Maurice Maschke and R. K. Hynicka would be unfailing in controlling. In simplicity it might be added that nothing could be more easy and in responsibility no one could doubt who kept him out of a nomination. Very little has been said about the citizens' wealth in these changes, particularly those relating to the primary. The politicians growl at the present system but the people have not evidenced much discontent. Until they do, it may be just as well to wait. The one point they seem to be exercised about is the requirement that they state their partisan affiliations. If that could be changed the men who accomplished it would have sung to them glad songs and be hailed as benefactors of a distracted tribe of voters.

Who fixes the value on all the bootleg liquor that is confiscated and what standards are employed? Every time one observes a picture of \$5,000, \$10,000 or \$100,000 worth of contraband that question suggests itself anew. One must assume that the prohibition officers are strangely familiar with bootleggers' standards of prices or that they are fertile in imagination. It's one of the six. It is seldom that less than \$5,000 is made at a single haul and at the present scale of prices there is not much chance to get any quantity that will figure less. The picture tells eloquently why prohibition is such a blessing to certain types of officials. There is one Ohio who deposits \$500 a week, saved from his salary as a state auditor, Pussfoot Johnson will be given to the man who guesses his name. If he is not disturbed during the next two years he ought to become a leading citizen and be very highly respectable. By that time he will be in the clear with his strong box well filled.

What is left of the tax limitation law which was once the Smith one per cent tax law is to be rewritten in the coming General assembly, if the city men have their way. The newest scheme is to make the limit 14 mills for the country and 17 for the cities. The manner of arriving at these figures is a mystery, as deep as one of the hostility of country members to freedom for the cities on matters of revenue. The proposition is in charge of Representative Robert A. Taft of Cincinnati, but it has gone no further than the expression of a desire. The last word must be spoken by the same country members who hold the control and never have been afraid to exercise it. More than that the matter may be a football of politics before it is thru, depending largely on how the interested city organizations behave themselves. Cincinnati voters will get no more tax levies and other means must be found for getting the money. The reluctance in voting levies is not confined, either, to Cincinnati. In many other places the officials have progressed to the point where they no longer ask them. Hence, the principal point of insistence is that the budget commission be reformed to allow the cities to have a larger voice in control of them. So really the measure suggested resolves itself into a fight between rival city hall and court house crowds. In that struggle the taxpayers are apt to be neutral.

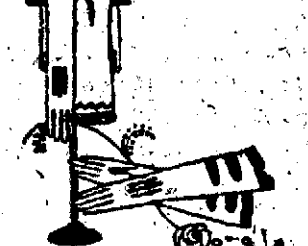
With the defeat of the Liberator loan, Ohio negroes assert that they have one more grievance to check up against the Harding administration. It is recalled that the loan was first proposed during the World war and held in abeyance at that time. The pressure in its behalf was like the effort for the Dyer anti-lynching law. It meant well feebly, so they say. The complaint is that while determine efforts can be made for a bonus for ship-owners, nothing except perfunctory advocacy can be given to any measure of benefit to the African race. The basket of troubles for that race is overflowing. It will be well to study this feature and ascertain how many colored folks will join the new progressive movement. It there is no mistake there may be plenty of them. MARCUS

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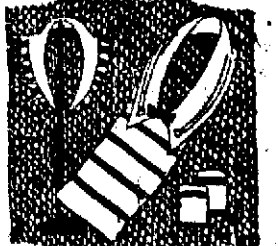
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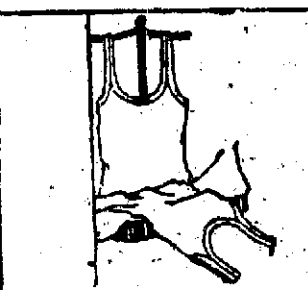
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## BUSINESS CONDITIONS

RETAIL trade has been snappy and more than up to volume during the past week. The semi-luxuries have come back and are in good demand, stores handling musical instruments, high grade furniture, jewelry, cut-glass and such lines reporting better sales than any period of the year. In strictly holiday buying, dolls and toys have featured the week. Hundreds of these joy-givers have been laid away by customers for pre-Christmas delivery.

In merchandise generally, ready-to-wear and men's clothing had the biggest week of the twelve-month. The larger stores are keeping the wires busy on orders. District trading has been perceptibly in evidence, while the city proper has been slower in responding to seasonal demand than the towns and rural sections of the district.

There is a better condition existing at the truck factories, and capacity is the story at Loco Works and steel plant, as rapidly as patterns and men are available. Small concerns about the city show a continued pick-up in orders. Pay-rolls are absorbing all classes of mechanics and common labor, released by road work completions and the gradual decline in building operations.

Money is in strong demand, and in fair volume. Banks for the first time in many months are beginning to tighten, while Building & Loans are much easier. Considerable insurance money has been placed in this territory during the past six months, which is relieving commercial banks to more than an unusual extent.

The city apparently is dead broke, altho no one can ever tell about public monies. Book-keeping and juggling of funds prevent study of what would be a balance sheet in ordinary business. There are thousands of dollars on deposit to the credit of the city in local banks, which can, however, according to City Hall, be used only for specific purposes.

## CHRISTMAS IS NEAR

BEAUTIFUL weather almost all fall has permitted the Christmas season to draw near without as much thought to the Yuletide season as generally is manifested long before this date. The fact that Thanksgiving was very late this year tended to aid in this failure to prepare for Old Santa.

With Christmas only three weeks away and only 18 shopping days remaining, it is entirely appropriate that early shopping be urged. Many have made their purchases, but the big bulk of the buying will be done in the next three weeks.

Lima stores are prepared for the demand, which promises to be exceedingly heavy this year. Displays which now are in fine condition, are above the average and Lima shoppers will be able to fill every want with little difficulty. It should be needless to say that those who shop early will get the "cream" of the offerings. Those who delay will find stocks depleted and probably in some cases exhausted.

## TASK IS HALF DONE

THE Biederwolf religious campaign, in the mammoth tabernacle, at Pierce and Circular-ave, has been in progress just three weeks. Whatever the impressions grounded with all the people of Lima generally may be, as to results obtained thus far, those who are actively back of the movement are apparently well pleased with the accomplishments.

It is estimated at this time, with the work of the special effort entering the second half of the fixed period of six weeks, that somewhere between 100,000 and 150,000 have attended the tabernacle meetings. This does not mean that many individuals, but includes those who have attended night after night in an enumeration of the general total. It is more than likely there are very few people within the confines of the city and its environs who have not, on at least one occasion during the past three weeks, visited the tabernacle.

Some of these may have lent their presence thru sheer curiosity. It is well known that in some instances those who went to scoff, lin-

gered in doubt as to their state of mind, departed convinced that the campaign is working to the betterment of mankind—and have returned to attend other services, interested and intent upon yielding themselves to their better impulses. It is this class the evangelist strives the hardest to reach.

Coming under the spell of the magnetic messages of the evangelist, more than 3,500 have "hit the sawdust trail," declaring publicly thereby their intention to lead better lives and become examples of Christian manhood and womanhood in their homes and communities.

Erected and maintained at a cost of about \$11,000, those who take part in the tabernacle meetings are expected to contribute to a fund to wipe out that indebtedness. Less than one-third the required amount has been realized to date, via the collection route. Sale of the tabernacle will cut down the total expense materially. Lima has been lacking in nothing in this campaign save in the matter of retiring the campaign debt.

## WORKING BOTH WAYS

BUSINESS principles of the city manager to pay as we go or not go are not to be criticized in all instances. For the most part the plan is a good one. It is particularly good for the average person and in that connection the city has an opportunity to allow the people to practice the rules it has laid down.

Assessments for big sewer jobs long since completed have not been made. They have been delayed and delayed again and now there is barely time to get them under way to avoid a serious condition in city funds next year.

If the principles of the manager are good for the city, they are good for the people and he should rush these assessments thru in order that the people may know how much they owe and have an opportunity to pay their share and stop the interest. When the city transferred \$1,800 from the light fund to other funds a few days ago it was with the explanation that we must pay as we go.

City Manager Bingham should not consider he has a copyright on this plan. He should pass it around and the sewer assessments would be a good place to start.

## "BLUE LAWS" A MYTH

LIMA people generally have often heard of the so-called "Blue Laws of 1850" and the danger of their application on slight provocation.

Now it is asserted there are no so-called "Blue Laws" on the statute books in Ohio and that the hue and cry about such alleged laws is propaganda fostered by the supporters of the open Sunday. Be that as it may, the fact remains that these laws of the old vintage, musty and stale with the age of years upon them, have been invoked time after time when radicalism in public purity runs riot.

There is scarcely a municipality in the state of Ohio that has not, at one time or another felt the halter of the blue laws, checking tendencies upon at least a part of the people to travel in certain well trod and plainly blazed paths. Lima has not escaped; and there is the case of Spencerville, of more recent memory.

In the face of these facts, the state secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance asserts, positively and without fear, that in effect "there is no such animal" as a blue law. He explains that by "this gross misrepresentation of the purpose, scope and design of the Ohio code, declared by the supreme court 'beneficent and material laws,' they hope to secure their repeal at the next session of the legislature."

The defense of those opposed to the repeal of the so-called blue laws is predicated on the statement that there are no laws human or divine to deprive the baby from its usual fresh supply of milk on Sunday; or the druggist from filling out a prescription for the sick; or restaurants and dining rooms from serving the public with the usual three meals a day, with ice cream as a dessert; or a livery stable from feeding and caring for your horse; or a garage in giving first aid to the unfortunate autolot in emergencies; or the water, gas and light

companies from supplying these needs; or anything else that is a necessity.

This is illuminating information, indeed.

## GOODBY, FOREVER!

A BEAUTIFUL young lady, after exploring this life for 23 years, disappears. She leaves this note in her room:

"Dear One: When you look on my cold dead face you will realize. Your Little Chum."

In three words, "cold dead face," she says more than the average professional writer could say in a chapter.

Did it give her joy, this thought that her "loved one" would experience acute mental agony when he looked on her "cold dead face"? Apparently.

Have you ever contemplated suicide? Nearly every one has, at some time or other, either as a swiftly passing thought or as a "way out" that required hours or days of deliberation to reject.

The temptation to destroy one's self is always a visitation of temporary insanity. Fortunately the morbid subject in most cases regains normal mental control before actually committing suicide.

At that, the suicide list is heavy. In leading cities it runs from 12 to 21 a year for each 100,000 population—or 13,000 to 23,000 a year for the entire nation.

All suicides are due to self-pity, which is just another name for exaggerated estimate of the individual's importance.

Every one should indubitably get into the brain the fact that the temptation to commit suicide is a phase of insanity, which will pass quickly in the wretched person seeks joyful company or books.

People who are tempted to do away with themselves, and who conquer the impulse, never look back to their decision with regret.

We should never lose sight of the truth that, while things may look black now, with apparently no escape from trouble, there is an escape from every trouble, and there ALWAYS comes a turn for the better. The blackest hour is just before dawn.

Most suicides are cowardly. And all are futile, for we cannot escape from our troubles. We carry them with us, beyond the grave, for there is no real trouble except mental. The agony of a physical condition annoys us chiefly in its effect on the mind.

Solve problems instead of running away from them.

## DRIVE WITH CARE

RECKLESS automobile driving always is to be discouraged. With autos killing one person every 40 minutes and injuring one every half-minute, it is time to call a halt. But we have a condition in Lima at present that calls for more than usual care in the operation of vehicles.

With the streets darkened, danger of collisions and other accidents is greatly increased. Regulations require that drivers use dim lights. With the street lights out, driving is a nerve-racking undertaking. The chances of hitting something or someone and of being hit are multiplied many fold.

Operators of machines and pedestrians should cooperate to keep down the number of accidents during our dark era. With all working in harmony much can be accomplished in this direction.

## SHORT ONES

America's Christmas Savings Clubs saved \$180,000,000. Christmas cards, however, are going to save more.

Jack Dempsey says he will fight any man in the world on short notice. We often feel that way ourselves.

Easiest thing on earth, next to making a girl think she resembles a movie star, is rolling off a log.

If you can make your socks hold out a few more miles you will get some new ones for Christmas.

One Atlantic steamer in a fog had to blow her whistle 3000 miles and with nothing to wet her whistle.

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—BY DR. WILLIAM BRADY

## THE CRY OF BLOOD

Anemia or weakness of the blood (a diminished number of red corpuscles or a diminished proportion of hemoglobin in the blood) is one of the most common symptoms physicians deal with. It occurs as a result of many, many kinds of poisoning; sometimes ordinary poisons absorbed or taken into the body in one way or another, as lead in numerous industries, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, the aniline and coal tar derivatives; sometimes by poisons produced in the body of such diseases as tuberculosis, syphilis, septic or focal infections; sometimes by poisons ingested inadvertently as medicine for headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervousness, etc. In short, to attempt to list the common causes of anemia is quite beyond the space available here. I have tried it many times, and I know it can't be done.

But this I can say here, that it is extremely doubtful whether any instance of anemia in an individual not denied reasonable choice of food is ever attributed to lack of iron or remediable by any form of medicine containing iron or by any kind of diet however rich in iron. I mean to say that aside from ancient and now exploded theories of the formation or development or manufacture of blood and the relation thereto of iron, we haven't the slightest evidence to support the idea that iron, however administered, ever cures anemia. And I doubt whether any physician has depended upon the use of iron as the sole treatment of his patient.

In order to cure anemia it is obviously necessary to stop the poisoning which is responsible for it, and that is something which neither medicinal nor food iron may be expected to do. To be sure, accidentally or incidentally the source of the poisoning may be removed or remedied while a patient is taking iron in medicine or food, but not because he is taking the iron. Thus, one may begin to spend more time out in the sunlight, while taking or eating iron, and sunlight not only stimulates the manufacture of new blood but is a great cure for, say, unrecognized tuberculosis. So that we might say that certain tuberculosis individuals who know they have tuberculosis may obtain a cure of their anemia by taking a shingle nail in the mouth and walking five miles in the open air each afternoon, or driving some iron nails in their brogans and teasing a pill around the pasture with a shiny stick every day.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**  
**Stomach and Bowel.**  
Does excessive smoking affect the eyesight or hearing?—(M. C. G.)  
Answer—Loss of impairment of eyesight is a common result of tobacco poisoning. Deafness and head noises are often due to tobacco.

**Gaining Weight.**  
I have been advising my brother, who is 6 feet tall and weighs only 165 pounds, to join a gymnasium and exercise at least two or three times a week in order to gain weight. But he believes plenty of rest and a large amount of wholesome food would be the only way he can put on more weight. Will you kindly give us your opinion.—(W. M.)  
Answer—Several thousand young men selected for military training and made to take unvaried exercise every day, gained an average of 12 to 15 pounds in weight the first three months in camp. This represented new muscle tissue, which perhaps replaced stouter flesh in some cases. The first thing for your brother to do is find out whether there is any latent or existing underlying disease condition responsible for his defective nutrition. The only way he can do that is by undergoing a complete physical examination by his physician.

**Baby Seat.**  
1. My sister's children, living in the other side of a double house with me,



## POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRALEY

### LET IT CALL

The Arctic calls with vigor,  
"Adventurer, come forth!  
Come, tempt the frowning rigor  
Of all the frozen North;  
Amid my tempests tragic,  
Amid my crashing flees,  
There is wondrous magic  
Only the Northland knows.  
"Beneath the Borealis,  
Where lie the ice-bound ships,  
I hold the frozen chalice  
Against the brave man's lips.

No draught for those weak  
Is this I hold aloft,  
My icy wastes, uncharted  
Soon crush the will that  
The Northland's call—I  
It tangles in my ears,  
But fails to rouse my脾  
With either hopes or fears  
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I'll hug the radiator  
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## 'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

WITH APOLOGIES

BY OH. OH. JACKENRIM

A Page from the Diary of an Anti-quoted Reporter: Up, in a darkness of deepest gloom. Felt my way to the bath. Thence, out to a meat store, but lost my way between Market and Spring. And landed in the pit of the new sewage pumpery. A night watchman lit his pipe, showing me Metcalf's bridge. Thence, feelingly, again to Miller's meatery. And bot a ham boil, to save the tallow.

Back to The Shack, Old Sol now dispersing the inky air. Abroad, to this post, where saluted by a gay message from Hi Stubbins. With a suspicion that it came from the brains of the Hoover-Bond Co. And poor Billy soon to be so far from home.

On East High, met Dirty Dan and Juniper Joe, crooks of a decade or more ago. Gave me gay greetings, so tarried. To learn they were down from Detroit to spend the winter. Been working the ferries the past three years. As pseudo-dry sleuths,

Each man they lapped with a bot, paying them tribute to be released. Here now, for broadening endeavor. Asked Joe how business went the first night. Dirty Dan said it was rotten. As they worked the Tabernacle crowd. Getting eleven purses, but all after the offertory. Sent their regards to Mont Wingate, Joe Reed, Charlie Billstein, Hugh Patton and Jawn W. Beall. Lunched on mush, with cream and milk. Have you noted any printed list of the water works pay-roll, lately? And we really should have another Cadillac for the police dept. Which reminds me, I met a policeman on Main-st about eleven, an unusual occurrence. Over to a money to borrow a thous. But they wanted Dee and my life insurance policies. And I only had \$1,500 in Liberty bonds. Thank Gawd, I really don't need the cash.

By Western Union, a wire from "Red" McWhann, asking if it is really true about "Brud's Folly." In making the towns dark. He'll be in on the tenth.

Just think, we were to make kilowatts for a cent and half apiece, with our new Muny Ownership plant. Which now must be junked for lack of coal. No, not that. Coz we didn't vote the two-mill levy. We really have the coal.

Pedestrianed to Bill's, where Merl gave me a hayre trim, sadly needed. Alard learned at the Manhattan that Frank Day lost his way at 4:30 trying to find Lizzie-st. It's a great world if you don't weaken; and who am I that you should worry?

So, home to dinner on the last mortal remains of the turkey, disguised in sage and bread-crumbs; saluted by the Ohio Power co's meter reading. I don't mind the cost, if they would keep the meter from singing. Always telling me about it.

In the evening, continued on the taylor of "The Judge," which I laid aside for Sappho on the holiday. And, as the shades settled, and the streets grew grim and shadowy, scarcely to bed.



## MEMORIAL TODAY FOR ELK DEAD

Indignities to Honor Memory of  
Departed Brothers

ORATION BY WALTER JACKSON

Public Exercises to be Held Sun-  
day Afternoon

Memorial services for departed  
members of Lima Lodge No. 54 B.  
P. O. E. will be held at the lodge  
today.

Attendance at the annual mem-  
orial services is expected to exceed  
that of former years. Ceremonies  
will be held in the banquet hall in  
the open to the public as well as  
members of the lodge and their  
families.

The exercises will be largely of a  
patriotic nature. One feature of  
the service will be the roll call of  
departed members, numbering 180.  
Numbered among them are the  
names of Elks who made supreme  
sacrifices in the World war.

The afternoon service is in charge  
of a special committee composed  
of Nelson Shook, chairman; F. F.  
Fieger, T. A. Welsh, E. W. Zettitz  
and Fred Calvert, with the members  
of the regular house committee.

PROGRAM ARRANGED

The program for the afternoon  
service is as follows:

"Star Spangled Banner," by the  
Elks' chorus.

Opening exercises, by officers of  
the lodge.

"Pilgrims' Chorus," sung by the  
Elks' chorus.

Roll call of absent brothers, Glen  
Wah, lodge secretary.

"The Vacant Chair," by the Elks'  
chorus.

Continuation of memorial exer-  
cises, lodge officers.

Chorus, "Sunset," Vanderwater,  
by the Elks' chorus.

Oration, Walter S. Jackson.

Elks 11 o'clock toast.

Deal, "Auld Lang Syne," chorus  
and audience.

The scenery and effects for the  
service were arranged by Walt De  
Weese. The Elks' chorus is under  
direction of Fred Calvert.

S. G. FOLSOM CHOSEN HEAD  
OF LIFE UNDERWRITERS

Seward G. Folsom, 540 W. Mar-  
ket, was elected president of the  
Lima Life Underwriters at the an-  
nual election held at the Elks Home,  
Saturday noon.

The organization is composed of  
insurance men, engaged in the sale  
of life policies and holds monthly  
meetings.

Plans for holding a big meeting  
in January and obtaining a national  
insurance expert to deliver a talk at  
the meeting, were discussed.

Other officers elected are: A. G.  
Stolzenbach, Charles Barr, Guy  
Means, vice-presidents; T. W. Ew-  
ing, secretary and treasurer.

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## BABE RUTH TAKES TO THE FARM



To get into training for spring, Babe Ruth, Sultan of Swat, is living  
the simple life on the farm at South Sudbury, Mass. Above is Babe taking  
a rest and smoke after a day's vigorous work. Baby Dorothy in his lap.  
Lamp that pipe! Below, Babe doing the daily chores.

## RAIL MERGER IS ANNOUNCED

Three Lines to Be Operated Un-  
der Name of Nickel Plate

Consolidation of the Lake Erie  
Western, Toledo, St. Louis and  
Western and the New York, Chicago  
and St. Louis Railroads into a  
system bearing the name Nickel  
Plate seems probable, it is an-  
nounced.

At the present time all three  
roads are owned by the Van Swer-  
ingen interests of Cleveland and are  
being operated under their old  
names and to a great extent as  
three separate lines.

It is understood that application  
will be made to the Interstate Com-  
merce commission to permit the  
merger of the lines and the ex-  
change of Nickel Plate stock for  
the stock of other companies.

If this is done it will mean the  
passing of the L. E. & W. as such  
and the increasing of its facilities  
for direct handling of freight from  
the west to the east and vice versa.

Freight trains are now running  
between Lima and Bellview without  
change and it is believed that di-  
rect shipment between Cleveland  
and St. Louis will be possible a short  
time after the merger is completed.

Meat, grain and oil now be-  
ing shipped from Kansas City to the

east over the combined lines and it  
is believed this traffic will be great-  
ly increased when all lines are under  
one control.

Improved passenger service will  
also be seen, it is pointed out, not  
only from the east to the west, but  
also between various points on the  
lines, as from Lima to Indianapolis  
or from Lima to Cleveland.

All cars, stationary and other ef-  
fects of the L. E. & W. railroad are  
being listed "Nickel Plate" rather  
than L. E. & W. It is said and pre-  
sage the combination of the lines.

## FORMER PATROLMAN TO BE PRIVATE GUARDIAN

Former city patrolman Justus A.  
Dotson, who resigned from the po-  
lice force two days ago, will become  
the guardian of stores and homes  
on the south side.

Dotson was commissioned as a  
special police officer Saturday and  
will begin patrolling his beat Mon-  
day, he stated. Merchants and resi-  
dents along Main-st. south of the  
river will employ Dotson. Practical-  
ly 50 per cent have already agreed  
to pay him a monthly sum for his  
services.

## BIG MEETING OF WORKING GIRLS AT TRINITY CHURCH

One of the largest meetings ever  
held in Lima for business girls  
will take place Friday night at  
Trinity M. E. Church.

At this time, the working girls of  
the city will be entertained at din-  
ner by the ladies of the Lima  
churches.

An elaborate program is being ar-  
ranged, and the party will adjourn  
to the tabernacle in time for the  
services.

In preparation for the meeting,  
Miss Hay of the Blisterwolf party  
will meet a representative of every  
store, shop, factory and office at the  
Y. W. C. A. Monday night and plans  
will be formulated to bring every  
employed girl to the Friday meet-  
ing. Between 35 and 45 girls will  
attend the preliminary meeting.

At 7:00 p. m. Monday, the clubs  
affiliated with the Y. W. C. A. will  
meet and will make plans for their  
December work. Programs for the  
month will be outlined. At 7:15  
p. m. the Y. W. C. A. poster class  
meets.

## SKETCHES OF PLANS FOR CITY SCHOOL ADDITIONS

Tentative sketches are being  
drawn up for the additions to  
South high school and the Franklin  
building according to Superintend-  
ent of Schools J. E. Collins.

T. D. McLaughlin who was cho-  
sen as the architect for the building  
program of the board of education,  
is working on these sketches and  
will not start to draw up plans for  
the three new school buildings un-  
til after the board of education has  
inspected new schools in other cities,  
in order to determine if they wish  
to incorporate several new inno-  
vations into Lima schools.

The addition to South high school  
according to present plans, will in-  
clude an auditorium, gymnasium,  
cafeteria, library and 15 additional  
class rooms, it is said.

Collins and Ralph Austin will  
confer with the Ohio attorney Gen-  
eral some time during the week in  
regard to the status of the bond  
issue, it was announced. After  
their return from Columbus the  
board will formulate a definite plan  
for the sale of the recently author-  
ized bonds.

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- 9—We Never Quote Former Prices.
- 10—Courteous Selling Organization.
- 11—Refunds Made Without Quibbling.
- 12—Refinement of Surroundings.
- 13—"Our Goods Make Good—Or We Will."

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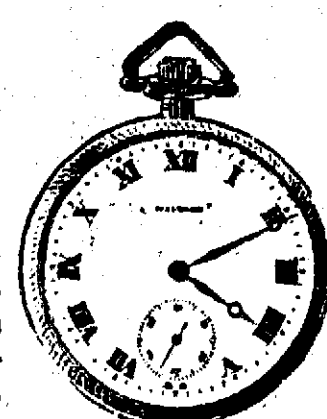


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## MAY PICK WOMAN FOR CABINET

Donahay Reported Not Averse to Aid of Gentle Sex

INDEPENDENT MOVE GROWING

McAdoo Comes Out of Two-Year Lethargy With Tirade

(BY J. W. FISHER)

Newspaper boys over at Columbus are apparently overlooking what might be termed a "hot" or a "spot" news story in connection with the prospective appointment of members of his cabinet by Governor-elect A. V. Donahay.

That the next chief executive of Ohio is not opposed to the selection of women for one or more of the positions it is within his province to bestow, is indicated by the New Philadelphia man himself. Those who know Vic are not at all surprised over statements breaking thru from Columbus which carry the information that in making appointments to his cabinet he expects to follow a policy of receiving applications and investigating each one personally, making an earnest endeavor to choose the best man, or woman, available for each of the various places.

Donahay has assured that he has made no appointments or promises up to this time and that he will have nothing to announce prior to the first of the year. This is an indication of good judgment in a big measure on the part of the Tuscumbia man who has been commissioned by a goodly majority of his fellow-citizens of the Buckeye commonwealth to serve them as their Governor for a period of two years. However, it is nothing more than was expected by those who know the real Vic.

The biggest bone of the existence of the Governor-to-be is the persistent re-echo of preference at the pie counter. Donahay is compelled to interview hundreds who come to press their claims for this or that. Being a kindly soul, his position is a trying one, but there is little doubt that Vic will be able to make 'em see the situation as it exists and afford him an opportunity to get his feet on the ground.

Of course, his appointments won't be pleasing to everybody, as there will be many disappointments, necessarily. However, Vic doesn't hope or expect to please everybody. Nobody has ever done so and no one ever will.

Without offering criticism of the marine act passed by the House in Washington which is expected to come before the Senate this week, summing up of the response given by the G. O. P. majority to the lash of the whip wielded by President Warren G. Harding brings this conclusion: That the President and his party chiefs are making an effort to deliver on campaign promises.

The marine act, better known as a ship subsidy measure, promises to entrust in the hands of private corporations a great business that is asserted to have been a failure as operated by the government. When one thinks of the American merchant marine and its existing condition, there come pertinently to the fore the questions, "Who killed cock robin?"

It has been known for years, ever since President Woodrow Wilson sought to make the government merchant marine what it should be, that private interests sought to discredit it. Exactly as many other things have been pulled off, to the detriment of the government and the people generally.

The fate of the Miami and Erie canal in Ohio, now a trail of weeds, broken down locks and disappearing tow paths and horse banks, a mere ditch existing where there was once the means for the floating of freight craft, is recalled when the ship subsidy proposition is contemplated. No one has ever been able to successfully dispute the statement that railroad corporation lobbies, flocking in and about legislative halls in Columbus, slowly strangled the canal to death. Neither has the statement been controverted that the same agencies are even now spreading in the path of effort at canal resuscitation all possible sorts of hindrances.

If anyone had asserted in 1880 that the Miami and Erie canal would be a name only 40 years later, it could not have been believed. Apparently, private shipping interests have done to the American merchant marine what other interests did to the canal.

More and more it is becoming patent that the old parties will have a force of content with in 1924 that will be even stronger than was evidenced in the election during the past month. Reference is made to the great army of independent voters which manifested its strength when asserted in a collective manner.

Countless thousands of voters—men and women—are refusing to respond to the party-whip. It is a new sort of independence that will doubtless grow. Coming to the fore in a spontaneous manner it appeared, yet such was not the case. It has been growing for years; slowly to be sure, but none the less certain. As a child in stature the independent movement no longer exists. Prominent political writers and diagnosticians sensed that before the ballots were cast on the 7th day of November. They saw it coming.

From a weakness it is suddenly developed into a man's stature. It has asserted its rights in an unmistakable manner and will do it again. Nothing will stop it. Freeing themselves of party lines, a goodly contingent is voting for men and measures according to their own desires, putting party allegiance behind them, in the interest of what they believe to be for the advancement of the welfare of their state and country. They are bent upon having in office better men, stronger character, more honesty—a better reflection of the innermost desires of those who have no aspirations but must pay the bills for those who are chosen.

Social party lines have come to mean little. It is patent that those who win preferment in the future, no matter how small and apparently unimportant the office may be, must be, first of all, competent. They must stand for and by the constitution. Their lives must be clean. Their motives honest and their reputation above reproach. Not that these things have not been demanded in the past, but until recent years the independent movement has not been sufficiently assertive to make

manifest the real intent and purpose of those who have kicked over the party traces.

There are certain signs that future seekers must be able to read. And these are plain, too. Good men have gone down to defeat in many instances simply because they did not read the signs aright. Failure to measure up is the thing the independent voter is after the hardest. Four-flushing is another weakness they will not tolerate. Those who would win in the future must "come clean."

All the brave things, that were thought of by leaders of the Republican Senate and House in Ohio as it will exist after Vic Donahay becomes Governor, presaging an administration of cooperation, have apparently fallen by the wayside. At least, they are no longer talked about in public places.

This is regrettable, if it should be a fact. Analysis of the complexion of the next General Assembly discloses that so far as party affiliation is concerned the Republicans have good majorities in both branches, sufficient to override a veto by Governor-elect Donahay. On the face of things just now it appears that Donahay will have more or less difficulty in putting into effect certain reforms contemplated, which he promised during the progress of the campaign.

However, if these things are not accomplished the people of Ohio have only themselves to blame. The New Philadelphia asked for a friendly legislature, but it was denied him. The people may have intended to do it, but they did not. The situation for the next two years will be identical the same as that under which President Wilson found himself during the last two years of a second term. The Republicans controlled both houses of Congress.

When President Wilson went to Paris to negotiate peace, hostility was born in Washington which continued thru the operations of that antagonistic Congress and practically nothing was accomplished save that the President was made a martyr—was crucified. That Congress goes down into history as a "do-nothing" body of the most pronounced type.

In the light of what happened in Ohio November 7th to Carmel Thompson, champion of the Davis plan of state government, and to Judge Benson W. Hough of the Supreme court who voted to uphold the emergency clause of the Iniquitous reorganization bill, it would seem that the next General Assembly should be sufficiently warned to make it apparent how necessary it is to inject no obstructions in the path of the Governor-elect.

Donahay made his plan of action clear to the people. They approved it. The Republican-controlled General Assembly better decide to get on the band wagon, or there'll be more hitches to hang on the fence two years hence. And if so, they'll be Republican hitches.

Little has been heard from William G. McAdoo since the time of the Democratic national convention back in 1920, but the echoes were recently awakened by the former Secretary of the Treasury, when from the Gold Coast West there emanated a severe arraignment of the present administration in Washington.

Indications are that McAdoo would like very much to have in 1924 what he is accredited with having refused in 1920—a Presidential nomination. It is becoming patent that Mac desires the excitement of a political campaign as the principal lure about which revolves the activity of his party. He is exhibiting symptoms of "the itch" in a marked manner, but remembering his attitude in 1920, it is doubtful if there will be much of anything in the form of a rally about a McAdoo standard.

The former easterner, now a resident of California, left the Harding organization right and left in this fashion:

"The administration has given us a wholly materialistic and soulless America. It has been devoid of political morality as evidenced by its wholehearted support of the seating of Newberry. It has made no appeal to the conscience and spiritual forces of the nation. This is serious enough but its economic policies have been equally mistaken."

"The Fordney-McCumber bill is indefensible; the new income tax law was a discrimination against the great body of taxpayers for the benefit of the favored few. Its callous disregard of the interests of the farmer, the laboring man and of the great mass of consumers was in glaring contrast to its favoritism to the trusts and powerful interests which have dominated its policies and consistently controlled its action. Its hopeless and uninspiring theory of

American isolation has caused grave injury to our material interests and international influence.

"Widespread business depression has resulted and our agricultural industry, always the basis of general prosperity has been reduced to a stagnant state. There can be no general return of prosperity until the farm industry has been rehabilitated. This cannot be accomplished until the farmer is again given access to foreign markets where he can sell his surplus at a profit. To get these foreign markets a reasonable tariff law must be adopted and a rational policy of international cooperation must be pursued. Granting of great subsidies to private interests thru tariff laws, railroad gratuities and ship subsidies at the expense of the people must be stopped."

That ought to help in pointing out to the new Congress a safer and more sane course to pursue.

By gagging the present Republican House of Representatives, which was included in the anathema of November 7, President Harding has pressed his ship bill to passage in the special session of the Congress. One more fight remains before the administration will be able to deliver to special interests on pre-election promises. The Senate must be whipped into submission. And the President has set out to do it.

In the House Congressman John L. Cable voted with the 203 for the bill to 184 against it. Sixty-nine Republicans broke away from party moorings and opposed the measure. While four Democrats supported it, the margin in favor was much smaller than was anticipated.

By its terms it means the sale of the people's merchant marine at a loss of \$2,800,000,000 compared with its original cost and the granting of \$750,000,000 of the public funds to its purchasers. The subsidy bill, along with the Fordney-McCumber profiteers' tariff, the tax-lifting law and Newberryism, was among the Republican proposals and policies condemned at the polls during the last month. The people knew that it was a part of the President's legislative program, they understood its provisions and they voted their disapproval of the measure when they turned out of office nearly a hundred Republican Senators and Representatives and ousted Republican Governors in 13 states. Now the President is in a fact covering a repudiated Congress into passing his repudiated "pet project."

President Harding and the Republican managers themselves made it plain that they regarded the election as a test of Republican legislation, past and prospective. They had as good opportunity to pass the ship bonus bill in the session which closed in September as they have in the present session. But they feared the consequences to their Congressional and other candidates in the recent election. They purposely withheld the measure from consideration at that time.

It was announced by semi-official organs of the administration two months ago that President Harding intended to veto the bill. On the day of the voters on November 7 before urging Congress to act on the ship bonus bill. To date, Congress has passed two bonus bills and advanced another half way. President Harding signed the tariff bill, a bonus to the profiteers. He vetoed the bonus for the soldiers and now he is shipping Congress to action in favor of a ship bonus. There'll be a place in the camp of the big interests when it is put over and signed.

Whatever may be said of the partisanship of the Toledo Blade, it must be admitted it exhibits a lot of good political sense in these observations.

"Those are wise Republican leaders who advise the members of Governor Davis' cabinet to hand in their resignations when Governor-elect Donahay is inaugurated early in January. A report comes from Columbus that some politicians—petty politicians they must be—have suggested that the coming Senate, strongly Republican in majority, might refuse to confirm the Democratic cabinet members who will be appointed by Governor Donahay and thus leave the Republican incumbents in possession of the \$6,500 a year offices indefinitely."

"The Blade believes that the new state Senators are good citizens, endowed with average good sense and that they will refuse to consider for a minute any unworthy scheme. The people have elected Mr. Donahay. As chief executive of the state he is entitled to, and ought to have, the support and encouragement, in his every creditable endeavor, of every Ohio citizen, regardless of political faith or affiliation."

Under the state reorganization law, enacted by the Legislature at the behest of Governor Davis, the state chief executive has broad powers. The new law provides for unprecedented centralization of responsibility and authority, so that no Ohio Governor may hereafter long remain in office without revealing himself as a real executive or a weakling. The new law makes the ancient game of "buck passing" much more difficult.

Governor Donahay should have opportunity to sail the ship of state free of hampering baracles as affixed by any cheap politicians. And neither the Ohio Republican leaders nor the incoming State Senators will be parties to any scheme to retain in office any members of the Republican cabinet, no matter how efficient they may be, unless their most urgent desire is to commit political suicide.

Before stepping down and off the stage of action as Governor of Ohio and before departing for a tour of Europe, Harry L. Davis is expected to recommend to the next General Assembly the proposition of four year terms for Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Attorney General and Lieutenant Governor, the same as is now applied to the office of Auditor of State.

This will necessitate a constitutional amendment. Whether it would be approved by a majority of the electorate of course remains to be seen. The Governor's argument in favor of such a change is not without merit. It would save an enormous expense in many ways, would be sensible and logical in view of the fact that usually an office holder is accorded a second term and would do away with the necessity of an official giving his time to vote hunting for a second term while being paid by the state.

Davis' recommendation that there be no second term when an official is elected for four years, is one of the most sensible features of the suggestion. Besides, the people generally would be spared in a measure the annoyance of elections coming along so frequently. The full benefit of such a suggestion would not be attained, however, unless the constitution should be amended to apply similarly to all elective offices.

Whether it was thought out by some newly elected Congressman who is chaffing under the necessity of waiting until March 4 of next year to take office, or whether it is the prompting of a heart that sees only the eternal fitness of things is not apparent, but it is a fact that Davis has suggested the term of a Congressman should end on the day he is defeated for re-election.

The thought emanated from the Senate agriculture committee. Someone suggested it and the thing caught the fancy of other members of the body, with the result that the committee by unanimous vote decided to present in the Senate a resolution providing for such an amendment, which would require that a new Congress take office immediately after its election, instead of in March of the following year.

There is a lot of merit to this suggestion too. It would do away with the opportunity for "lame ducks" to vote on important pending measures in a don't care spirit, due to the fact that their tenure of office was near to an end. The proposed measure is the fruit of a resolution presented by Senator Caraway, Democrat, of Arkansas, to prohibit Congressional "lame ducks" from voting on other than routine legislation or holding committee chairmanships between the time of their defeat and retirement from the body.

One of the most sensible things Governor Harry L. Davis has done in the closing days of the state administration is providing the death rattle for the so-called Ohio true administration. There was no necessity for it in the first place. Action by the Legislature in creating the coal administration, at the behest of the Governor, looked like the culmination of a plan to increase rather than decrease the price of fuel.

At any rate, that's exactly what occurred and the people of Ohio paid the bill. No matter from what angle it may be viewed, the fuel ad-

ministration has been one of the most egregious blunders ever made by an Ohio administration. And the most aggravating part of it all is that many of the members of the General Assembly who played a part in its creation have been re-elected and placed in a position to aid in pulling off some such other fool stunt.

It's going to keep Vic Donahay busy watching vicious legislation. Before he leaves New Philadelphia to go to Columbus to take on the mantle of office, Vic should go out and cut himself a stout hickory or elm club.

There is just one appropriate answer to the statement accredited to Harvey C. Garber, of Columbus, former Democrat, in which he is alleged to have said that the defeat of Senator Alice Pomerene for re-election was due to his opposition to the Fordney-McCumber tariff. That answer is—"rot!"

Considering the political record of this man Garber, formerly a Democratic "pet" in the Fourth Congressional district, those who know all the facts are not surprised to hear such a thing from his quarter. Garber joined forces with John J. Lentz a few months ago and assembled all the political malcontents they could dig up, to oppose Senator Pomerene for re-nomination. The defeat meted out to Garber's man Lentz rankled in his heart and it is but natural to suppose that the same forces carried their opposition into the election.

Harvey is quoted as asserting that Ohio is a protective tariff state and that Pomerene's foot slipped when he assailed the tariff. When Garber talks about "we Democrats" a real adherent of the party of Jefferson, Jackson and Wilson is impelled to grunt with disgust.

One sincerely hopes, that the im-

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pression is wrong, but it assuredly does appear that Congressman John L. Cable's gratuitous promises of government buildings for various of the important cities of his six-county district are about to come to grief.

As a matter of fact everything else is being required to make way for President Harding's ship subsidy bill. In the case of the voted soldier bonus, the way had to be cleared for the Fordney-McCumber tariff, following the revenue act, which was the first delivery for the big interests, on pre-election promises made by the party of Harding.

Now comes the ship subsidy. The battles have been half won. The House has passed it. The Senate is on the grill. The cry among the supporters of big interests in Washington is that the subsidy bill must be passed, no matter what the cost to the country or their party. There is no time for an omnibus bill. Hence, it will be surprising if

Congressman Cable gets a like favorable action on a bill anywhere, even including where the need of a new oil well is becoming acute.

An oil well drilled for John L. Cable, Delphos, imploded, shot Saturday afternoon in southwest of Delphos. A man of Delphos residents witness shooting.

No estimate of the well's value has been made. Oil in the hole is considerable de-

was stated.

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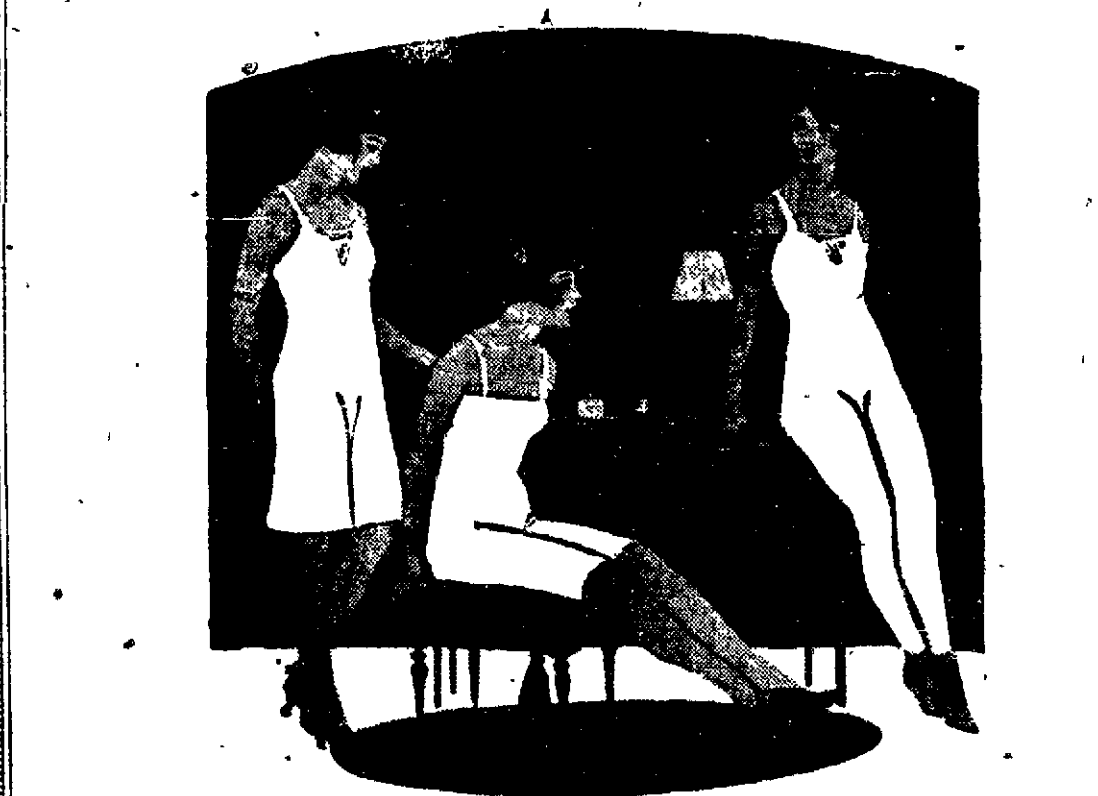
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# READY FOR CHRISTMAS RUSH

Postmaster and Force Plan to Handle Tons of Mail

ONLY MAILING IS URGED

Submission of War Savings Stamps Begins Monday

Simultaneously with the announcement made Saturday by Postmaster A. E. Gale that the Lima postoffice has been granted an appropriation for extra clerk and parcel post service for the proper and expeditious handling of Christmas packages, the postmaster urged that all Christmas packages be mailed early.

This is necessary, he asserted, to insure prompt delivery and prevent disappointment among those to whom the gift packages are addressed.

There are at present 58 men employed in the department, Gale stated. 30 clerks, 28 carriers and 10 substitutes, regularly. An appropriation has been made available for 25 or 30 more men, as they are needed, he stated.

"We will need them later," Gale asserted. "The rush will attain its peak four or five days before Christmas and will continue very likely for several days after the holiday, before everything is cleaned up and all departments cleared."

**MAIL PACKAGES EARLY**

"The earlier packages are started in their destinations, the more satisfactory will be the service and congestion will be relieved. Particular care should be given too," Gale said, "to the proper wrapping and correct and legible addressing of packages."

The work of moving the general delivery department to the second floor has been completed, Gale stated and the service will be handled from the new location beginning Monday. This will leave the first floor lobby open to the sale of stamps and money orders and the handling of parcel post business. Three windows will be opened at once and a fourth when needed.

A table will also be placed in the lobby, where two extra clerks will look after the details of insuring packages. The tracing and claims department clerk is also shifted from the old location to the money order department, affording necessary space for other work on the main floor, Gale said.

One complete mail delivery will be made on Christmas day as usual. This is the one holiday of the entire year when all of Uncle Sam's postal employees remain on the job, to bring happiness and good cheer to others. All Christmas packages received at the Lima postoffice on Christmas day will be delivered to the parties addressed.

In addition to the auto trucks in the government service, two wagons will be employed for the Christmas rush, Gale stated.

"We are all set for the rush," the postmaster has assured. "We expect to get away with the increased business in a manner that will afford little opportunity for criticism or disappointment," he said.

**WAR SAVINGS MATURE**

Forms to be used by holders of the war savings stamps which will fall due January 1, 1923 have been received by the postoffice and will be available for use Monday, Gale announced.

Holders of the stamps have the option of being paid in full for their stamps on January 1, of receiving new stamps and the money due them at once or the purchase of new stamps by applying the maturing stamps and a cash payment on them.

A holder of \$25 stamp which is due January 1 may receive a stamp of the 1928 series of \$25 value and \$150 in cash or may turn in their \$25 stamp and \$16 and receiving a \$40 stamp of the 1928 series, Gale said.

Registered stamps can only be redeemed at the postoffice, but unregistered stamps may be redeemed at any bank in the city which is a member of the Federal Reserve system, he said.

Extra clerks will be on duty Monday to care for the crowds which must visit the postoffice at the rate of 400 a day if all are to be cared for before January 1. Gale advised holders to redeem their stamps as soon as possible in order to avoid late minute crowds.

# WAPAKONETA, TOO IS HARD HIT

Death of Funds for Municipal Activity Is Faced

Wapakoneta. — (Special) — This city is one of the many in this state which faces a dearth of funds for conducting municipal business. That of more cash began to make itself felt a year ago and consequently advance draws have been made from time to time on tax sale proceeds due this year.

Wapakoneta's bonded indebtedness of \$637,000 requires approximately 66 per cent of all tax money collected in this city, according to figures supplied by County Auditor Charles E. Fisher, to meet sinking fund requirements.

According to Mayor F. A. Klipfel, there is no immediate need to discontinue the city's poverty by turning off the lights, by closing schools or otherwise, but revenue which rightfully belongs to Wapakoneta, and is being diverted to other channels should be restored, he asserts. Prohibition returns when it comes to producing revenue, the mayor says. Too few are caught under the Volstead ban. The school system is in better condition than other branches of the government, but educational authorities state they are not sufficient funds to maintain teachers for education of the city's youth.

# GREAT COFFIN MYSTERY GRIPS BUENOS AIRES

BUENOS AIRES — The mystery of a certain of second-hand coffins, discovered and solved by a government sanitary inspector in a local railway terminal, has baffled the Argentine health department, the Buenos Aires police force, and all of legitimate undertakers.

The shipper had made an attempt to disguise the fact that the coffins had been used, decayed portions having been planed away, but health officials readily established that the boxes formerly had contained cadavers.

The coffins were transported to a local cemetery and destroyed in a crematorium. The consignee proved he had ordered new coffins. The name of the shipper remained a mystery.

For some time the officials worked upon the theory that there had been an extensive graveyard robbery, but no violated cemetery could be located.

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# ELKS' PARTY WILL BE BIG AFFAIR

Hundreds of Lima Kludies to Receive Invitations

Hundreds of Lima Kludies who otherwise might not come in contact with Santa Claus will be guests of the Lima Elks lodge the afternoon of Saturday, December 23. They will be gladdened by substantial gifts as well as those of a nature particularly appreciated by children.

Last year 1,200 came to the big home at North and Elizabeth-sts. This year arrangements have been made to take care of even a greater number. Names of those to be invited will be supplied to the lodge by the various charitable and philanthropic agencies of the city.

Final arrangements for the big annual party were completed at a meeting of the lodge committee yesterday. Plans for having 1,500

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small batteries printed to be sent to children were made. These batteries will admit the youngsters to the home for the party. It was also decided that a big stocking filled with candy, fruit and nuts also will be given to each guest and there will be toys and other things to make them happy. In addition, clothing and shoes will be supplied. Already one contribution of 25 pairs of shoes and 50 pairs of stockings has been made to the lodge for this occasion. Others will come in and in this way many children in need of necessities will be taken care of.

After the reception, a special show will be staged in the auditorium of the home. The party, which is an annual affair, will be bigger than ever this year, members of the committee said.

The committee in charge is composed of M. E. Colt, chairman, J. T. Kaufman, Harry O'Connor, Mark Koller, J. W. Beall, Walt DeWeese, Dr. V. H. Hay and Glen Rohn.

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# MATRIMONY YOKE IS REMOVED

Two Couples Relieved of the Tie That Binds

Two divorce decrees were handed down in common pleas court Saturday by Judge Fred C. Becker, after hearing testimony presented by husbands and wives.

Mrs. Frances Hosack, cigarmaker, 525 Linden-st., won a decree and the custody of her daughter Genevieve, 9, after presenting testimony calculated to show that William L. Hosack, 503 E. High-st., had refused to support her.

The court made an alimony award of \$100, together with household goods in her possession. Hosack will also pay the sum of \$5 a week for the support of the child.

Testimony showed the couple was married in Lima in 1913 and parted in November, 1921. Mrs. Hosack

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told the court that prior to the separation, her husband was often out at night, and sometimes did not come home at all. She was of the opinion that he spent his time carousing.

An August mating culminated in a December disillusionment, Mrs. Dora Long, cigar maker, told Judge Fred C. Becker, in relating her marital troubles with Tom Long, 904 N. Jameson-st.

Long treated her cruelly, she said, and would not support her. The two were married in August, 1921, and parted in December, after Mrs. Long found him out, she told the court.

Judge Becker granted her a divorce on grounds of neglect. The plaintiff will resume her former name, Dora Deimes.

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# CLEMENT STOTTELMYER SUCCEEDS TO DIABETES; FUNERAL SERVICE MONDAY

Funeral services for Clement Stottmeyer, 53, who died Saturday at his home, corner of First and Jefferson-sts., Delphos, after a long illness from diabetes, will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the residence, Rev. W. W. Deaton, M. M. pastor, will be in charge. Interment in West Side cemetery.

Stottmeyer conducted a garage in the building now occupied by the Haas Bros. Cigar factory until failing health forced him to take up lighter work four years ago. He became an employee of the Northwestern Ohio Light company.

He underwent an operation nine days ago for amputation of his right leg.

He leaves his wife with four children, Mrs. Harley Baxter of Detroit, Chase Stottmeyer of Delphos and Roland and Donald Stottmeyer at home; also two sisters, Mrs. John Strome of Delphos and Mrs. James Craven of Detroit and a brother, William Stottmeyer, Delphos.

# Give Furniture for Christmas



## Gifts for your Home

- Dining Room Sets
- Bed Room Sets
- Living Room Sets
- Overstuffed Sets
- Lamps
- Easy Chairs
- Spinet Desks

## Gifts for Friends

- Easy Chairs
- Lamps
- Smoking Stands
- Cedar Chests
- Tables
- Rugs
- Sewing Cabinets

On Christmas Day the Home is the center of attraction, and for that reason it should be made as attractive as possible.

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## TRIAL PLACE FOR HINES UNDECIDED

Hearing on Motion for Change of Venue Up Monday

OPPOSED BY LIPPINCOTT

Next Step in Case of Slayer of Robert Halloran

Will Otis Hines, negro waiter who shot and killed Robert Halloran, be brought to trial before an Allen-county jury? Or will the case be taken to an adjoining county?

A decision will likely be made by Judge Fred C. Becker in common pleas court Monday.

Counsel for Hines have filed a motion for a change of venue. Affidavits purporting to show that it will be impossible to select an unbiased jury in Allen-county were presented in support of the motion some days ago.

An answer to the motion will be filed before Judge Becker Monday by Prosecuting Attorney Eugene T. Lippincott. Lippincott expressed confidence Saturday of being able to prove to the court, that no just reason for transferring the case to an adjoining county exists.

Counter-affidavits will be filed in court Monday to prove that no feeling against Hines exists that would be likely to prevent the selection of a fair and impartial jury.

MAY CHOOSE VAN WERT-CO. Attorneys for Hines are likely to select Van Wert-co as the place for holding the trial, if the motion for a change of venue prevails, it is stated.

Labor trouble existing in the city at the time of the shooting is offered as grounds for shifting the case to another locality. There are between 4,000 and 5,000 union men in the county, according to representations made by Hines' counsel at the time that the motion was filed.

Hines is expected to rely on a self-defense plea as a justification for the killing. He will be tried on a charge of second degree murder. The maximum penalty is life imprisonment.

## SMILEY DOES NOT SEEK JOB

Denies Report He Is After Legislative Post

J. V. Smiley, 520 S. Pine-st. Saturday night denied a report that he had made application to the Republican county executive committee for the endorsement of that body as a candidate for appointment to the post of assistant sergeant at arms of the Ohio senate, at Columbus.

Samuel Fletcher, 1,038 W. High-st., who served in that capacity with the state legislative body during the past two years, has been endorsed by the committee, unanimously, it is stated. He is expected to secure a re-appointment when the legislature convenes in January.

Smiley says he was a candidate for the place only under certain circumstances, but owing to the fact that events anticipated did not develop, he did not present a request for the endorsement of his party committee and that the incident is closed. He will make no further move for the place, Smiley said.

The Republican committee also endorsed R. R. Zurnehly for reappointment as assistant to the attorney general, Columbus Rowdy for janitor at the new comfort station, Main and North-sts., and John M. Cordray for reappointment as postmaster at Harrod.

## FINANCE COMMITTEE OF DELPHOS COUNCIL PLANS APPROPRIATION MEASURE

The finance committee of Delphos city council will meet this week or sometime later in the month to draft a semi-annual appropriation ordinance which will be offered at the first meeting in January.

A problem of big proportions if faced by the committee because of a cut of one mill in the city tax rate. There will be available for city purpose next year only \$14,000, against \$21,000 this year, according to Auditor William Shaffer.

Issuance of a deficiency bonds is faced by the city, authorities say, if salaries are to be paid in 1923.

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## MORE TRAIN CREWS ARE ADDED TO L. E. & W. FORCE

L. E. & W. Railroad officials say new trainmen and engineers are being employed to handle increased freight demands occasioned by receipt of coal and other merchandise.

It is claimed 15 additional crews could be employed on the St. Mary's-Lima-Tipton division if enough locomotives were available. They are being added as rapidly as possible, according to Lima officials of the railroad.

## TAX COLLECTION IS UNDER WAY

County Treasurer Opens Books in Advance of Period

Tax collections for the first half year are slated to commence on or about December 10, Harry E. Botkins, county treasurer, announced Saturday.

Collections will be a little late this year because of the delay caused by the uncertainty created by the election.

Until the outcome of the 2 mill levy and county fair bonds propositions were known, the tax duplicate could not be made up by the county auditor's office and certified over.

Some collections are beginning to come in. Farmers and others who call at the court house, ready to pay their first half year taxes, are being taken care of ahead of time.

"We want to accommodate them," declared treasurer Botkins, "but we really won't be ready for the rush until around the 10th of December or later."

## EDUCATION WEEK PLANS FORMING

American Legion Men to Address Pupils of Schools

Program laid out for the observance of "Education Week" in Lima December 8 to 9, is complete and comprehensive.

The week will be observed in practically every school in the United States and is under the approval of President Harding.

Outline of the different phases of national education which will be discussed during the week is: Monday—The Duties of Citizenship; Tuesday, The Flag, the Emblem of Freedom; Wednesday, America as an Educated Nation; Thursday, Illiteracy as a blot on our Nation; Friday, Equality of Opportunity in Education for Every American Boy and Girl; Saturday, Physical Education and Hygiene.

Members of the American Legion have consented to speak at various schools Tuesday on patriotism and one of the points in the observance of the week in Lima will be the teaching of "The American Creed" to every student.

The creed written by William Tyler Page and approved by Congress in 1918 follows:

"I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic, a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect Union, one inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes. I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies."

The subject of illiteracy is to be studied during the week, and national educators hope that some means will be devised to lower the per cent of illiterates in the country. At the last presidential election, it has been estimated that one out of every six votes was unable to read or write; in a great many instances, because the opportunity to attend school was lacking.

One of the other features arranged for the week is a sing, which it is hoped to have in every school. This mass singing meeting is to be held in every school in the state, if possible.

## FACTORIES REPORT 100 PER CENT FOR RED CROSS

Report of 100 percent membership in the Red Cross by the Detsel-Wemmer Cigar Co. was the outstanding feature of the final week of the annual roll call, A. C. Cajacob, chairman, said Saturday.

A similar report will be made by the Ohio Steel Foundry when its membership report is filed with the general committee early this week, Cajacob asserted.

Absence from the city of Mrs. George Dangler, who has been in charge of the workers, made it impossible for the total amount received for local work to be estimated the past week.

As soon as several belated reports are filed the total will be arrived at and announced, Cajacob said. It is feared Lima's share will not be sufficient to carry on the full schedule of work during the coming year.

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# WESTERN GRIDIRON STARS CONQUER EASTERN ALUM

## MULLER IS STAR OF BATTLE

COLUMBUS.—West triumphed over east 6 to 0 in the annual "grid-grad" game here Saturday.

"Brick" Muller, all-American football hero of California, blocked the place kick of "Red" Roberts, Centre College star, snatched the pigskin and dashed 70 yards for the only touchdown of the classic contest.

Try as he would, the famous Thurman of Penn State, playing at right guard, was unable to lend his men to victory. Kick after kick failed to make any headway against the western stars. Only once the western goal was endangered. That was when Thurman, Penna. succeeded in working the ball down to the one-yard line. But "Bo" McMillan, of Centre, then fumbled and the easterners punted out to safety.

The game was not unlike other all-star games of the past.

Both sides lacked coordination and team work. The fans were looking for individual stardom and they saw an example of brilliancy in Muller's 70-yard run.

Score by quarters:

Western Stars 0 0 6 0—6

Eastern Stars 0 0 0 0—0

The line-up:

**WESTERN STARS**  
Fuller, Brown, LE. . . . . Slyker, Ohio  
Lee, Colgate, LT. . . . . Heldt, Iowa  
Hartfield, Marquette, C. . . . . McMillan, Penn.  
Wittmer, Princeton, C. . . . . Wick, Michigan  
Thurman, Penna., RG. . . . . Trotter, Ohio  
Fargo, Williams, RT. . . . . Gierling, Oberlin  
Mooley, Yale, RE. . . . . Muller, Calif.  
Hogsett, Dart., QB. . . . . McMillan, Centre  
Jones, Yale, CR. . . . . Eichenlaub, Ill.  
McLaren, Pitt., FB. . . . . Fletcher, N.Y.  
Casey, Harvard, LH. . . . .

**Substitutions:** Eastern Stars—Roberts for McLaren; Western Stars—Huffman for Stallings; Bowlen for Slyker; Yerges for McMillan; McMillan for Slyker; Workman for Yerges; Armstrong for Crangle; Smith for Huffman; Yerges for Workman and Slyker for Muller.

## SATURDAY'S GRID RESULTS

Holy Cross 13; Boston College 17.  
Lafayette 7; Georgetown 13.  
Marines 12; Army 12.  
Western Stars 6; Eastern Stars 0.  
University of Tennessee 14; Washburn 7.

## FAST GAME IS EXPECTED

Interest in basketball is increasing as the season progresses, and already fans of the cage game are talking about the St. Rose-Central game, which is scheduled for the middle of the month.

St. Rose, which had hard going for its first game of the season, struck the right pace Friday night against Wapakoneta and could not have been stopped by many scholastic fives in the state. The quintet played the game with an experience possibly only with long and tedious practice, and were accurate in their passing. The ball, once in the hands of a St. Rose player, would never leave the possession of the locals until a shot had been attempted at the goal.

St. Rose also showed a surprising strength among its second-string players, whose work was scarcely distinguishable from that of the regulars. Next Friday, the local quintet will play the Decatur, Ind., five, which has one of the best reputations in this section of the country. The Decatur aggregation nosed out the St. John's five from Delphos two weeks ago and last week the Delphos five overcame St. Rose.

The visitors will come here expecting to win easily, and St. Rose is being pointed for the game with great care. The battle promises, from all present dope, to be one of the best games scheduled for the season.

While cage practice was started at Central High two weeks ago, several players who are expected to make the varsity will not report for their first practice until Monday, having been on the moleskin squad.

This will make the Red and Green quintet slow in starting as it takes considerable time to change to the new style of play and these reasons are being advanced by St. Rose adherents to support their claim that St. Rose should make a decisive score against Central.

## SPORT CORES

Ohio Conference football schedule meeting is held for Chittenden Hotel at Columbus Dec. 11.

General Pershing was among the 14,000 grid fans who saw Nebraska wallop Notre Dame.

Center Edwin Rudale, sophomore from Fort Smith, Ark., is elected football captain of Centre's "Praying Colonels."

Meyers, Mackey and Moore star in Mt. Union's 9 to 8 win over Illinois. Sixty-yard run by Quarterback Hopkins after catching a punt scores touchdown that enables Miami to beat Cincinnati 9 to 6.

Rocky Kansas wins all but two of 10 rounds to beat Pete Hartley of New York at Buffalo.

Joe Lynch, bantam champion, easily outpointed Frankie Daly of New York in 10 tireless rounds at Indianapolis.

Columbia finishes a disastrous grid season by being massacred 53 to 6 by the huskies from Colgate. Opatite at 10 to 1 is the only winner long shot at opening of New Orleans winter racing.

## Miller Brothers Play Leading Roles In Gridiron History At Notre Dame



LEFT TO RIGHT—DON, GERRY, WALTER, RAY AND HARRY (RED)

The success of Notre Dame football has been credited to many causes—among which are the Miller brothers.

What the Five Brothers are to tobacco and the Smith Brothers are to tough drops—all this and more are the Miller brothers to Notre Dame football.

The family has been reduced to a chemical formula by Notre Dame coaches. A coach will look over his prospects and then decide how much Miller he needs—after which the call goes to Defiance, O., and on comes the speed package.

In 1906 a good team needed a half-back to be great. The first Miller experiment was made. "Red" Miller is

now the superstar of Notre Dame football tradition. He played four years on the squad, captained the 1909 team, which defeated Michigan at the height of Wolverine glory. He was the greatest half-back Notre Dame ever knew.

In 1911 Ray Miller was added to the brood and played two years. Walter came after the war, the third backfield Miller, and played fullback for two seasons.

The plight in which Knute Rockne found himself at the beginning of the present season is fairly well known. It happened that he faced a heavy schedule without a team—that was all. He aligned his Cotton, his Carberry, his Degree and his Cotton; he figured the ability of his

various freshmen candidates. Then he decided: "Two shots of Miller will do the trick."

Gerry, the fourth brother, is a backfield candidate who is kept from the right-half job by one man only—and that man is brother Don, the youngest of the Five Millers, and potentially the greatest of the lot. In his first season on the team Don has distinguished himself against Georgia Tech, West Point, Indiana, Purdue and a flock of lesser teams.

After the next two seasons Notre Dame will go Millerless for a few years—but then will come the second edition—for Red Miller is already the father of a pair of dashing halfbacks in Cleveland.

## Olin Smith Highly Praised By Wesleyan Grid Men

DELAWARE.—Olin Smith, 532 Franklin-st., Lima, who was one of the two Ohio conference gridiron stars to be called upon to play upon the Western team at the annual Gridgrad game at Columbus Saturday, is one of the most interesting and spectacular figures, which recent Ohio conference gridiron history has known, according to Wesleyan Athletic authorities.

Smith is today captain of the Ohio Wesleyan team which carried away the conference championship, is hailed as the greatest Ohio player of 1922, universally selected for the All-Ohio eleven and mentioned for Western and All-American honors, but when he entered Ohio Wesleyan as a freshman in the fall of 1919 he knew practically nothing about football. As a kid he had never played the game and, with four years of Ohio Wesleyan coaching he had developed into one of the great players of the game.

He is known as one of the most fearless players who ever donned moleskins, never slowing up and scoring touchdowns as unnecessary ornaments. But it is little wonder that it is so for a kid who had learned nothing about football before his arrival here at Wesleyan he knew a great deal about fighting and had played a game which makes football to him a toy game.

When America massed troops for Mexican border service in 1916 the present gridiron star was in high school at Elida. He learned aside his books and went to Texas with the Ohio regiment that later became the 145th Infantry.

When Uncle Sam squared away for the battle against Germany some months later, Smith went with the machine gun company of

his regiment to Camp Sheridan as a "duck private." His outfit went overseas and was sent into action Sept. 26, 1918. Sept. 27 found Smith lying maimed and bleeding from German shrapnel on the shell torn field of the Argonne. When stretcher bearers found him two days later, he insisted that they first should give their attention to others about him.

After spending about three months in a tripe of hospitals he came home as a casual and was discharged in March 1919. By hard study he made up enough work to graduate from Elida High School that June.

It was only natural that he should come to Wesleyan to college the following fall because his father, now a Methodist minister in Lima, graduated here in 1897.

Smith made the Varsity football team in his sophomore year and has been a mainstay of the eleven ever since. He has also made the track team as a shot putter and has won his letter in baseball as a pitcher and outfielder.

The Ohio Wesleyan star is 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 215 pounds. Some idea of the unusual speed which he combines with his weight may be gathered from the fact that through the season he was frequently the first Wesleyan player down under a punt, which is saying quite a bit when one considers that the Red and Black team this fall was noted for its speed.

Smith graduates from Ohio Wesleyan in June but he has four husky younger brothers all of whom the big tackle says are going to make better football players than he has, so Ohio Wesleyan's athletic prospects seem bright for some years to come.

## BOSTON COLLEGE WINS JESUIT CHAMPIONSHIP IN EAST

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—Had it not been for the fast work of Gratton O'Connell, and Joe Kozlowski, Boston College would never have won the Jesuit College championship of the east in their game Saturday in which they defeated the Holy Cross eleven 17 to 13. The game was fought with considerable roughness for which the Worcester team received the most penalties.

On the two touchdowns scored by

the Boston team, O'Connell, right end, recovered two fumbles. The first in the first five minutes of the game when Kozlowski's fumbled in an attempted field goal and the right end galloped for a touchdown; the second when Broussard fumbled during a rush in the third period, O'Connell recovered on Worcester's 25-yard line; Ward right half for the maroon and gold, after two rushes on a penalty, carried the ball for eight yards for a touchdown.

## Rockne's Notre Dame Eleven Is One Of Best Of Year

(BY BILLY EVANS)

PITTSBURG, Pa. — After watching Notre Dame beat the strong Carnegie Tech eleven I want to go on record as saying that I haven't seen a better looking football team this year than Coach Knute Rockne's aggregation.

In making such an assertion I am taking into consideration the fact that I have seen a majority of the best teams in the country in action, among them being Wisconsin, Chicago, Michigan, Iowa and Ohio State in the west, and Yale, Princeton, Harvard, Lafayette and Dartmouth in the east.

Prior to the Carnegie Tech contest I had a chat with Coach Rockne. He was really a bit worried about the outcome of the game as Tech had held W. & J. to a 7 to 7 tie and had been beaten by Yale in a heart-breaking game by the score of 13 to 7. In reply to my query as to how things were going he said:

"Fine so far, but I am a bit worried about the condition of my boys for today's game. You know we have had a pretty hard schedule, Indiana, Purdue, West Point, Butler, Georgia Tech and now its Carnegie. I have a great young team that has not yet reached its possibilities, but the gruelling schedule that we have played is beginning to tell."

For a half hour I watched the team's trainer take care of a score of minor ailments. It was apparent that some of the boys weren't fit for a strenuous battle, yet I didn't hear a single word of complaint.

Every one appeared happy and good natured and it seemed any one able to smile was doing it. "It was a bad break to lose Paul Casper at this stage. His great speed is a wonderful asset later in the season when most of the teams are inclined to go a bit stale. However, we have worried about despite any number of reverses and the boys have overcome every obstacle that has presented itself," was Rockne's further remarks.

There was a snap to Notre Dame's play that was most pleasing. The back ran with the ball as if they really enjoyed playing the game. Usually they ran behind a perfect screen of interference, which made the task all the more pleasant. When tackled they often, by a bit of footwork, managed to work free; often they would sidestep and cause the opposing player or players to miss them entirely.

In Notre Dame I saw a team that was well coached in the fundamentals. Time and again, by some little action, they would make it apparent the team was composed of players able to think. The team as a whole had sublime confidence in its great power. It seemed when a certain number of yards were needed some player was always able to turn in that many or more.

Against strong opposition like Carnegie Tech it did not seem as if Notre Dame's offensive game could have been improved upon. It opened up just enough to show how wonderful Rockne has developed the forward pass. One pass over the goal line resulted in a score, while

## CORNELL PLAYS SOFT SNAPS

Cornell has just finished the second successive football season in which her eleven won every game it played.

Her total of 339 points for eight winning games this season is second only to the 398 total amassed by California in nine games.

Yet nobody is hailing Cornell as a champion team. Here is the sad, sad lesson of a team that picked itself a series of soft snaps. You can't win gridiron titles by taking on a feathered schedule.

So Princeton, which beat Yale, Harvard and Chicago, is hailed everywhere as the undisputed champion of the east. Cornell isn't given a look in. And the only real tough task undertaken by Cornell this season was its turkey day engagement with Pennsy at Philly, won by Cornell in brilliant fashion, score 9 to 0.

But one real game doesn't entitle a team to a championship. The mighty point total amassed by Cornell this season is not taken seriously.

At last one touchstone team could do nothing but soft snaps. However, the tip is that the schedule-makers at Cornell are waking up to a realization of this, and are planning a Cornell schedule for next season in which Cornell will do something else besides take candy from children.

On the other hand, Harvard seems to be planning to get back to its old system of eliminating every real opponent except Yale and Princeton, and some of her advisers wanted her to drop Princeton; that is, until the Tigers smeared Harvard.

Harvard is preparing a seven-game schedule in which she'll drop Centre.

And so the Crimson is likely to eliminate itself as a championship factor, just as Cornell has been doing for the last week which Harvard had done that. The year before Harvard's first game with Centre, the Crimson eleven came thru unbeaten in a joke schedule, and wasn't considered a champion.

Cornell scored its first touchdown against Pennsy Thursday by a series of short line plunges in the third quarter. A goal from placement in the first quarter scored the remaining three points.

## GEORGETOWN WINS

WASHINGTON.—Lafayette University's powerful eleven went down to defeat here Saturday before the Georgetown eleven 13 to 7.

The Pennsylvanians made five spirited marches down the field only to be stopped when the Catholics defense stiffened. Georgetown scored in the second quarter with a drop kick and another over the top in the final period. Interception of a forward pass in mid-field and a 50-yard run for a touchdown by Wertz, Georgetown center, clinched the game.

Another long pass also made possible one of the three touchdowns. Notre Dame showed me it was a team willing to gamble. Twice it got away with successful passes, one of them for a touchdown on the fourth down with four yards to gain. Most teams would have been content to try a goal from field. Notre Dame gambled and was rewarded with two touchdowns.

After the game Coach Wally Steffen of Carnegie Tech, former University of Chicago star, remarked:

"The Notre Dame eleven is a wonderful team. It is far and away the best eleven Tech has met this year, and in Yale and W. & J. we met two great teams. Notre Dame shows the benefit of Coach Rockne's shrewd judgment. He has a great bunch of backs, and the plays are gotten off exceedingly fast, which of course greatly increases their possibilities."

Spencer Abbott is expected to be appointed to manage the Reading International League club soon.

Denison College loses four grid stars, for Captain Dick Willis, Pete Willis, Jefferson and Lyne will all graduate.

## DELPHOS LOSES 4 MEN

Graduation will make vacant only four positions on the Jefferson high school eleven, Delphos, for 1923.

Coach Eugene Gorrell already has players selected to replace them and has picked a tentative lineup.

Two ends, Jenkins and Hendrickson, Shaffer, quarterback and Spellman, fullback, will pass out.

The backfield will be adjusted by shifting Beardsley from fullback to center, Davis to fullback and Evans will take Beardsley's place. Captain Bob McDonald will retain his halfback position.

On the line Hummer will be shifted to end and either Straup or Wagener may be used on the other extremity. Pittsberger will take Hummer's place. Vogt will also be available for the line. The other position will probably be the same as this season with Meekins and Hick as tackles and Granger and Biglow, guards.

Thirteen men will receive letters for participating in 24 quarters this season. They are Jenkins, Meekins, Granger, Hummer, Biglow, Hick, Hendrickson, McDonald, Beardsley, Shaffer, Spellman, Davis and Evans.

A post-season game for Jefferson high is being discussed, but it is unlikely that it can be staged owing to lateness of the season. St. Marys high, the only eleven which holds winning percentage over Jefferson, would be the most logical opponent. Conroy and Van Wert also defeated the Red and White this season, but Delphos retaliated by knocking them in return games.

Plans are afoot to honor the fighting team of '22 with banquet and program.

## FOOTBALL GETS NEW FAN

"Great!" "Fine!" President N. E. Brundage of the Delphos board of education became an ardent football fan when he witnessed his first game Thanksgiving Day between Delphos and Wapakoneta. This branch of scholastic sport is assured of enthusiastic support as a result.

"Somebody long the sidelines told me Delphos had won. That's the way it looked to me. Our boys certainly can scrap."

"I never knew football is so exciting. I became wrapped up in it immediately."

"Great!" "Fine!"

## GROSS UNABLE TO FIGHT

Jake Gross, Lima's fighting flash, will not be able to battle Andy Bowen at the Police and Firemen's benefit Friday night, according to an announcement made Saturday.

Gross injured the thumb on his right hand, shattering the bone when he attempted a punch against Willie Ames' head during their bout in Massillon recently, and the injured member has not healed sufficiently, it is said.

The Lima fighter is in great demand at the present time, according to his manager Earl Smith, an officer being received last week which carried great inducements for Gross to battle Blockie Richards in Dayton on Dec. 6.

This bout had to be turned down, and Gross will probably be out of the ring until the first of the year. Charles J. Maxwell and L. H. Geiger, who are engineering the benefit fight have not announced the man who will oppose Bowen Friday night, but it is intimated that Frankie Nesser, who put a wonderful fight against the Eastern boxer in Fort Wayne two weeks ago may be secured.

Nesser will endeavor to secure revenge for his defeat in Fort Wayne, should he be booked and if this plan is carried to completion, fight fans will see lots of action.

## DELPHOS SET FOR ST. JOHNS

The basketball program in Delphos will consist of a game Tuesday night between the local cage five and St. John's of Lima. Manager Hilary Shelby announced that his team will not play Friday night.

Absence of a Friday night date will occasion a margin of one week until the next game, which will feature the Celina high school quintet. St. John's is booked for the remainder of the month, the management announcing the following schedule in addition to the Lima and Celina games:

December 15—St. Marys.

December 19—Paulding or Ridge.

December 22—Ottobville.

December 26—Decatur, Ind.

December 29—St. Rose, Lima.

## Big Crowd Witnesses Ser Game At Venable Stadium

VENABLE STADIUM, BALTIMORE, Md., — Close to 50,000 persons, including Secretary of War Weeks and Secretary of the Navy Denby saw the United States Marine corps eleven from Quantico, beat the Army's third corps area football team here Saturday 13 to 12.

When the final score had been put up, it marked the end of the most spectacular football struggle ever seen in this city.

The game marked the opening of the new Venable Stadium which was filled to its capacity with civilians and officials of high rank and notables representing all branches of service.

From the start the Marines led by the mighty Goettge looked like a better team. This big fullback penetrated the Army line consistently for five and ten yards gains. The wind blew a stiff gale in the Army's favor, making kicks difficult and uncertain.

For the first half the Army line held, but in the second it weakened before the off tackle rushes of Sanderson and Goettge.

A repeated performance goal kicking by Gene V. Army fullback, gave the first score of the game. The first quarter after a one field goal from the yard line and repeated chances in the second quarter, the Marines made a score near the end of the quarter. Sanderson came forward with a long pass, sent his to the fore by a yard line and repeated chances in the second quarter.

The third quarter was with an exchange of a touchdown. McMains kicked goal.

Hard luck hit the Marines passing renewed and the showed over the goal he was recalled with a penalty yards for tripping.

Kyle, the marines' left half, stood behind goal line. McMains again kicked goal, but it left the line, one point in the lead.

## California Has Strongest On Pacific Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Coach Andy Smith's great California eleven is unquestionably the class of Pacific Coast football. The "Bears" would be able to hold their own with the best in the west, east or south.

California has decisively beaten every team it has met in the Pacific Coast Conference. Nevada, Washington State, Oregon State, California and Washington all have been humbled by Smith's smashing eleven.

To California goes the coast honors. There will be the usual dispute as to second place, but the boys

make University of Southern California as the logical choice the only team able to challenge the Bears.

Will California represent in the game planned for the month of March at Pasadena? It should, but it is University of Southern California which will be selected. Students have requested other coast schools to chance as Smith's team has choice the last two years opinion, however, favors

## Strenuous Game of Football Has Amusing Features

(BY "BO" McMILLAN)

Football is a spectacular game and many times the crowd is amused by the freakish plays pulled by the players. If this results in a break in favor of the home team it pleases the crowd, but if it should go against them it will cause the spectators to groan. In my time I have seen some very peculiar plays and some of them have placed our team in dangerous positions at the time.

In a recent article I mentioned where our punter in one game missed the ball entirely on an attempt to punt at this same game there were several other peculiar plays. Early in our game against West Virginia the Mountaineers tried the old shoe-string play where one man lays out near the sideline and a pass is thrown to him without a signal. But in this instance it failed to work as the man receiving the pass was thrown for a two-yard loss by our halfback.

Another play in that same game shows the advantage of a smart football player over a slow thinker. West Virginia tried a trick play in which the halfback carrying the ball starts on an end run and as he is checked he will pass the ball to another back who is behind him waiting.

Roberts, who was playing defensive end for us on that day, refused to tackle the man but used his hands on him instead. Just as he was attempting to pass the ball Red gave him a shove, causing a bad pass and consequently a fumble. Red scooped up the ball and ran 30 yards before he was forced out of bounds. This broke up the offensive drive of the opposition and was largely responsible for our winning the game.

TACKLED HIS OWN MAN At big games spectators often wonder how the players manage to keep so cool under fire in a game as strenuous as football. However, the man in the stands does not know all that goes on during that 60 minutes. Even the most experienced players will get excited in the heat of a game, especially so in a hard one, when his team is about to score or be scored on for the winning touchdown.

I recall one game in which Centre was on the small end of a 6 to 0 score. We had just made a pass to one of our ends, who, by a beautiful

catch and run, carried the opponents' two-yard first down after only two end who had caught it rushed back to me and I was about as much excited could be. If he had only think he would have known he had play to try at. On the first play we were over and kicked the winning point.

Another funny instance so amusing to me happened in one of our games. One of our men passed and was run into by a player from the other team. You can imagine when our own man and before he could catch the ball he was tackled. This is all in the game it is such plays as these that make football the game that it is.

## LAVAN LII TO RETI

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—The from Tokyo recently that J had been taken ill on the with the major league, he indicates that the veteran may not return to the game.

Lavan was broken in the 1922 season due to a lack of influenza contract St. Louis Cardinals at camp at Orange, Tex., spring.

Altho advised by doctor the season Lavan tackled shortstopping every now and then, however, nothing was forced to retire strength.

Lavan has been in the since 1913, when he was Branch Rickey, chief scout Louis Browns, from the Michigan. Lavan had a Ricker when he left the Wolves' baseball.

If Lavan is unable to more Rickey will face a lem with his infield. Gecer, who wears spectacles served as Lavan's substitute that he did not measure major league grade last season.

One shift mentioned in the return of Roger Shortstop. Hornsby was stopper in his minor league played the position until the Cardinals in 1919, who over to second base.

## Dunn Ret To Sel

ST. LOUIS — The St. Louisals have offered five players for Joe B. stop of the Baltimore I League club, but Jack I agent of the Orioles, has consent to the deal for it was learned today.

Atoler-KenyaCOETO. N. N. It was said Dunn ret to part with Boleys not definitely.

The Cardinals are shortstop to succeed J. who was incapacitated by season.

Philadelphia — John junior lightweight last outpointed by Alex Hart in eight rounds.

Philadelphia lightweight pointed by Pat Moran, in eight rounds.



## K. of C. BOWLING

STATISTICS OF ADOPTED PERSONS			
Mr. Shanahan, C. Klotz	926	926-1928	
L. Shedd, A. O'Connor	928	928-1903	
E. Harrison, D. Ryan	927	926-1924	
Mr. Halloran, Ed. Michle	909	906-1922	
A. Sontag, Bill			
McFarland	.....957	923-1795	
A. Crumrine, R.			
Blanchard	.....945	946-1768	
E. Steinman, A. Walsh	934	939-1922	
Riley, C. Thompson	..735	927-1922	
Macdon, B. Halloran	906	909-1903	

Blackburn, Mr. Smith	889	898-1680
Ruhlin, E. Kennedy	832	876-1647
Callahan, D. Diamond	815	761-1526
Bishop, E. Piper	832	768-1593
W. Cole	784	767-1549
Anna Truoh, P. Stickney	766	773-1549
J. Dempster, E. Tullis	738	765-1485
Mr. Thompson, R.		
McHugh	722	748-1472
Mr. Hill, C. G. Ruby	720	712-1443
Mr. Armstrong, Joe		
Goodrich		
Tam, V. Kennedy	827	
McClintock		
Stewart	815	
Mr. Goodrich, Ed		
Willett	809	
Kernan, W. Doyle	888	
Morris, M. Lewis	883	
Wagner, H. Loria	850	
O'Neal, Mr.		
McClintock	816	

Lawrence's	17	7	763
Lawrence's Bookery	17	7	763
Leader Store	12	8	812
Star Clothing Co.	13	11	849
Auto Parts	12	12	850
Anna Trust	9	12	879
Michael's	10	14	817

Peckham, Leader	21	3401	111
Quirkman, Ellerman	24	4022	108
Quirkman, Ellerman	24	4102	108
Roberts, Crawford	23	2704	143
Finer, Michael	24	2927	141
Black, Auto Parts	21	3124	144
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Car, Leader	21	3343	141
Black, Ellerman	21	3349	140
Crawford, Crawford	21	3341	135
Nye, Lima Trust	21	3321	135
Johns, Star	21	3317	134
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High Team Roll, One Game—			939
High Team Roll, One Match—			1609
Ellerman's			1609
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High Individual Score Each Week			
Receives 11			
Oct. 18 Johns			216
Oct. 16 Shirk			216
Oct. 27 Crawford			212
Nov. 3 Shirk			210
Nov. 10 D. D. D.			208
Nov. 17 Nye			200
Nov. 24 Biting			234
Nov. 24 Biting			234
Lima Trust on Friday, December 1.			234
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Schedule for next Friday, Dec. 26			
Crawford's vs. Michael's			
Star Clothing vs. Ellerman's			
Lima Trust vs. Delfora			
Leader vs. Auto Parts			

The death of Austin McHenry, star outfielder of the St. Louis Cardinals, has created a deep sorrow in big league baseball circles, such as has not been equaled since the accidental death of Frank Chapman.

McHenry's name was in Otway, O., a few miles outside of Portsmouth, and the funeral services gathered together team-mates, baseball friends and acquaintances from every part of the United States.

The services, which were held Wednesday were in charge of the Rev. T. Grant, former Lima boy, and the son of B. F. Grant, of Lima. The pallbearers at the funeral were former team mates of McHenry.

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Name of Harry Baker

Harry Baker, sleuth, lives in  
Lima.

The man who solved the now fa-  
mous Fossdick murder at Des  
Moines, Iowa, is this day energeti-  
cally attempting to convey to pros-  
pective Ford owners the advisability  
of buying the universal car.

While the lure of the chase still  
causes little thrills of interest and  
excitement to hurry each other up  
and down his spine, Baker is suc-  
cessfully overcoming temptation  
and is sticking strictly to business.  
And to aid himself in overcoming  
the powerful urge of adventure, he  
has cast aside his nom de plume and  
has once again assumed his correct  
name.

For Harry Baker is not even  
known to his present employer.  
He is H. D. Wingate, salesman in  
the employ of the Timmerman Sales  
company, and he resides on the  
south side.

H. D. Wingate, automobile sales-  
man, alias Harry Baker, sleuth,  
perhaps identifies him beyond  
doubt.

He is the man who dogged the  
tracks of Orville N. Cross and Eu-  
gene Weeks, both of Des Moines,  
Iowa, until he secured information  
sufficient to warrant the arrest of  
both men and later to drag from  
both of them confessions concern-  
ing the killing of George A. Fos-  
dick, of the same city, the night of  
February 5, 1921.

SENTENCED TO HANG

Both Weeks and Cross were sen-  
tenced in accordance with the Iowa  
law, to hang by the neck until they  
were dead. One had pleaded guilty  
to a first degree murder charge  
and the other had been found guilty  
of the same offense.

Arrest and conviction of the two  
men had been sought for weeks be-  
fore Wingate, then known as Bak-  
er, finally brought them to answer  
for the murder. Authorities in Des  
Moines, fully acquainted with the  
circumstances of the murder, were  
baffled. At last Baker was told to  
try to solve the mystery. Three  
weeks before the men were arrested  
Baker boasted that he knew who  
they were. Then he clinched his  
claim and the two men were taken  
into custody.

Baker first went to Des Moines

seeking adventure. He had been in  
Detroit, Chicago, and other cities be-  
fore finally settling in the city  
where he was to become "famous."

He had left Lima as H. D. Win-  
gate. He entered Des Moines un-  
der his nom de plume.

He opened a garage there.  
"One day a man drove up to my  
place in a Stutz speedster. He was  
in an awful hurry. His brakes were  
afire. I noticed that and called it  
to his attention," Wingate narrates  
as he tells of how he became a  
sleuth in Des Moines.

"He got sore when I told him  
about it. Said it was none of my  
damned business," he continued.  
"That led to an argument and be-  
fore I knew it the chap beat it away  
without paying me. That's when I  
got really sore."

"I hopped on my motorcycle and  
went after him, but he was too fast  
for me."

"When I returned to the garage,  
I found two policemen there. They  
were looking for the man in the  
Stutz. They praised me for having  
nerved enough to chase him, for  
they said, he had killed two men  
across the river, the night before.

A couple of days later I found my-  
self a special deputy to Sheriff  
Robb."

As Harry Baker, he received no  
regular salary. His payment for  
work done depended entirely upon  
his success in solving crime mys-  
teries. He averaged approximately  
\$75 a week in this way, he says.

BATTLING MURDER

Then came the Fossdick murder,  
baffling in all its phases.

Fossdick, a groceryman, had been  
held up late one night while he was  
walking from his store to his ma-  
chine. Two men shoved revolvers  
into his face and told him to stick  
up his hands. He thought they  
were kidding. They shot him, then  
ran. When Fossdick's daughter  
came out of the store to see what  
had happened.

Every clue to the case seemed to  
have been erased. Every track left  
by the thugs had mysteriously van-  
ished. No one had seen them.  
There was no description.

Des Moines was excited over the  
incident.

Then Baker, the sleuth, started to  
solve the mystery.

Rewards totalling nearly \$2,000  
for the arrest of Fossdick's murder-  
ers, attracted him.

A story to rival those which made  
Nick Carter famous in the annals of  
dime novels was to begin. A curi-  
ous that defied penetration seemed  
to have dropped between authorities  
and those guilty of the crime.

But Baker, the sleuth, had begun.  
He lounged about the city a few  
days, familiarized himself with all  
the facts in the case.

He disguised himself as an or-  
dinary bum and listened in on the  
conversations of the Des Moines up-  
perworld.

He learned of a man who knew  
something about the murder and  
dogged him for days.

He made up as a drunken old sot  
and laid for hours in a dingy hall-  
way where criminals often passed

to and from their places of res-  
tidence.

He finally worked his way into  
the confidence of a gang and be-  
came a regular member. He  
planned robberies with them.

Once he was placed under arrest  
by Des Moines police who did not  
know him and who refused to be-  
lieve that he had come by the  
sheriff's badge he wore concealed  
upon him, in a legitimate manner.  
They took him to headquarters for  
carrying concealed weapons, but he  
was released upon being identified.

He returned to his "gang" and  
learned of clues that might lead to  
the slayers of Fossdick. He followed  
each of them, until he came to the  
rendezvous of the two killers.

MEN SHADOWED

For hours at a time he would  
shadow the place and for as many  
hours he would hang from the tele-  
phone poles hidden by the branches  
of a tree, listening in on telephone  
conversations by those in the house  
with others farther away.

"Once I heard them talking  
about striped stuff," he says, "and  
then about being careful in laun-  
dries. I went back to the sheriff  
and asked him what striped stuff  
and laundries could mean. To-  
gether we decided that they re-  
ferred to striped overalls being sent  
to some laundry."

"So I made the laundries, and  
then it was easy to get my men. I  
placed together the telephone con-  
versations, what information I had  
and the stories of the two men.  
Then I advised arrest."

After that, Wingate says now, it  
was too warm for him in crim-  
inal circles. His activities were be-  
coming known to the underworld.  
They were after him.

"Not that I was afraid of them,  
mind you," he declares with admi-  
rable bravado now, "but it was the  
healthiest thing to depart from the  
territory. Anyway, I had my spell  
of fun."

"So now I'm back home."  
"But how did you get by as  
"Baker," he was asked.

"Oh, that was easy. They used to  
ask me a lot about myself. I guess  
I told them enough," and he  
laughed.

"As far as they're concerned," he  
declared, "I have just disappeared.  
That's all."

Then he went into a reverie which  
perhaps dealt with exciting adven-  
tures recalled from the days when  
he was Baker the sleuth.

But now, he's selling automob-  
iles, in Lima.

NEGRO YOUTH, TAKEN BY  
GAME WARDEN, FAILS TO  
ANSWER TO COURT CHARGE

Vernon Walker, colored, arrested  
by Charles Hanes, Shawnee-tp game  
warden, on a charge of hunting with-  
out a license, failed to appear for  
trial before Justice of the Peace E.  
M. Botkin, Saturday afternoon.

The negro, who had been released  
on bond, is believed to have fled the  
city rather than face trial.

## IN COLORED CIRCLES

Needlework club will meet Fri-  
day with Mrs. T. D. Halthcox, W.  
North-st.

Days and Means committee of  
the Federated clubs will meet Tues-  
day evening with Mrs. Maud Bush,  
W. High-st.

Allen Class of St. Paul, A. M. E.  
Sunday school will meet Tuesday  
evening with Mrs. Blanche Young,  
S. Nye-st.

Walter Morin spent Sunday in  
Lima, the guest of relatives.

Miss Sarah Jones was brought  
home last Sunday suffering from  
scarlet fever.

Royal Colman was on the sick list  
last week.

Sargent Morin is in Chicago.

Rev. Hogens was called to Penn-  
sylvania last week, account the  
death of his brother-in-law.

All members of Morning Star  
Lodge, K. of P. No. 15, are requested  
to meet at their hall Thursday  
evening. Nomination of officers.

Roland Morley, K. R. & S. George  
Moss, C. C.

Mrs. Masterson was hostess to  
the Aeolian club Thursday. She is  
present were: Miss Ethel Wood,  
Mesdames James Barnes, Edmund  
Lawson and Woodard.

W. Masterson spent Thanksgiv-  
ing with his family.

Mrs. Florence Cook visited with  
relatives in Kenton, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Linnie Hansbarger was a  
Lima visitor last week. Mrs. Han-  
sbarger will move into Mrs. Rose  
Cook's house, S. Union-st.

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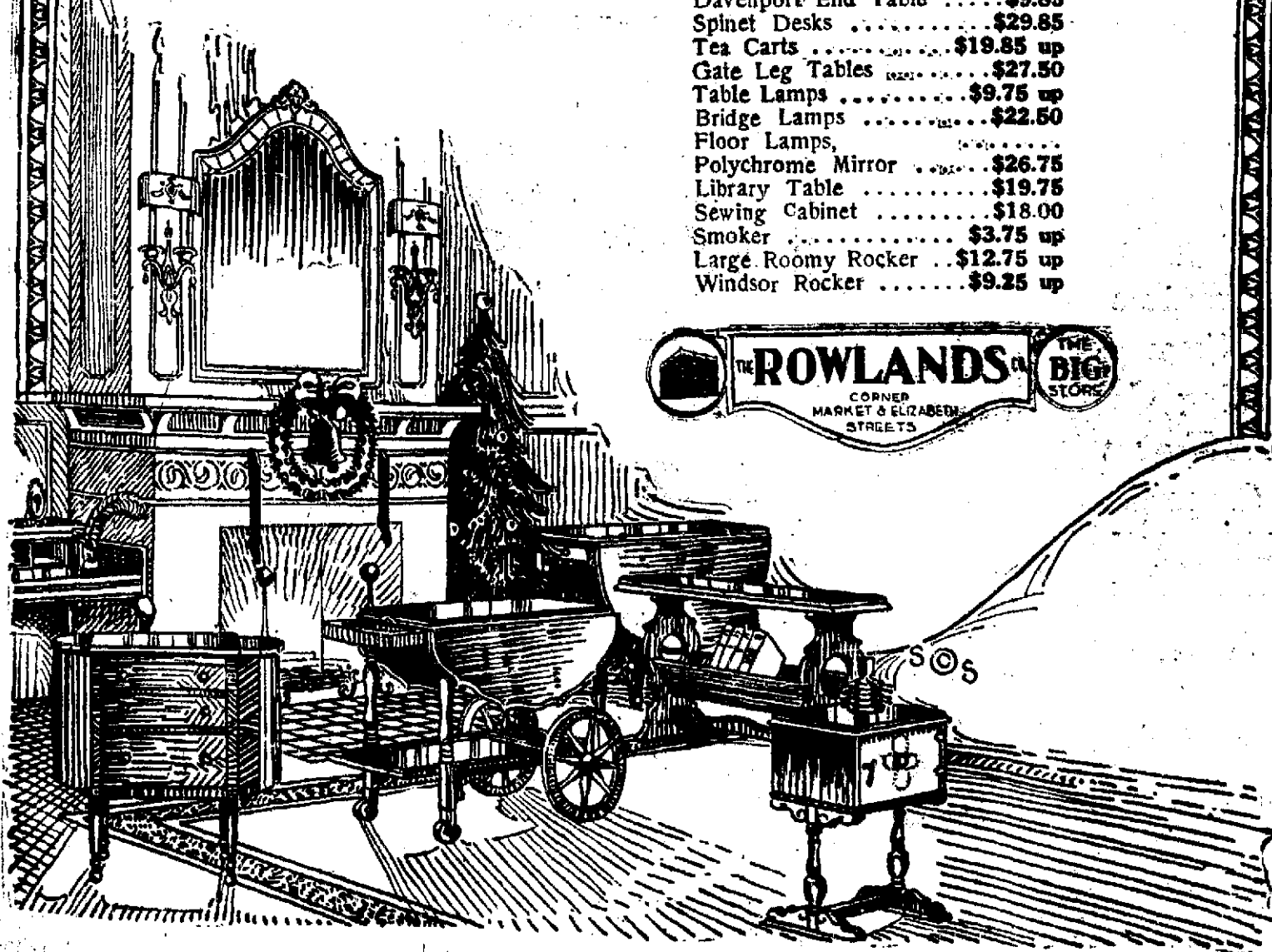
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Double Ring Ceremony Used

THE interest of a large circle of friends centered in the pretty church wedding of Saturday morning at Christ Episcopal church, uniting in marriage Miss Dorothy Eleanor Wheeler, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wheeler, N. Pierce-st., and James Orchard Enck, son of Mrs. Henry S. Enck, W. Market-st. The ceremony was marked with unusual simplicity and only the immediate relatives and a group of close friends were in attendance.

In the soft glow of the candlelight surrounded by a profusion of palms, ferns and blossoms the couple took the vows, which were read by the Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall, pastor of the Immanuel Episcopal church of Cleveland, formerly pastor of Christ Episcopal church. The double ring ceremony was used and the Rev. Victor Smith assisted.

Miss Margaret McHaffey, at the organ, played the wedding music and the only attendants were Miss Helen Johnson and Harold Churchill.

The bride was attractive in a handsome suit of Duval de Lafne. She wore a modish hat of gold cloth and her corsage was of bride's roses and valley lilies.

The bridesmaid wore a very becoming polka dot frock and a gold cloth hat. Her corsage was of pink rose-buds.

Immediately following the ceremony a prettily appointed wedding breakfast was served in the private dining room at the Elks' Home. Yellow chrysanthemums graced the

centers of the tables and a color scheme of white and yellow was observed in the various appointments. Yellow cathedral candles tied with yellow tulle in crystal holders cast a soft glow through the breakfast hour.

Places were arranged for Mr. Enck and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wheeler, parents of the bride; Mr. Henry S. Enck, mother of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Enck; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tremain; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Churchill; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Macdonald; Judge and Mrs. Kent W. Hughes; Dr. and Mrs. K. Bannister; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kemmer; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton T. Seale; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeVoe; Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Neville; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beanning; Chicago; Mrs. O. H. Churchill; Mrs. Chambers; Miss Margaret McHaffey; Miss Helen Johnson; Miss Dorothy Kalle; Miss Geraldine Nigam; Miss Mary Roberts; Miss Louise Ackerman; Miss Mary Margaret Bourk; Miss Marguerite Orchard; Colorado Springs; Leo Mixson; Beaumont, Tex.; Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall; Rev. Victor Smith; Lester Thomas; Harold Churchill and Henry Enck.

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YULETIDE PLANS  
BRING ACTIVITY  
FOR SMART SET

No Prominent Social Affairs Featured Thanksgiving Locally—Women's Music Club to Give Third Concert, "Book of Job," Monday

PLANS for the Yuletide season were evidently arranged about the same time as were the Thanksgiving Day festival observances for so numerous are the events and so full of activity the time intervening between Thanksgiving and New Year's that the days will be almost one continuous celebration.

Even now the very breath of holly penetrates the atmosphere and is arranging for the holiday events society borrows from century old customs. The majority of the plans thus far include family reunions, dinner parties and dances.

No prominent social affairs attended Thanksgiving Day this year, but the usual round of family dinners featured this annual occasion. Only a comparatively few of the co-eds enjoyed the privilege of returning home for Thanksgiving but, regardless, interesting plans were made for them that their short respite from studies might be an enjoyable one.

One of the very promising events of the near future is that of Monday evening, December 11th, when the Women's Music club will give as its third concert number, "The Book of Job," arranged and presented by Stuart Walker.

One of the charming social affairs of the week was a delightfully appointed 1 o'clock luncheon at the Lima club Tuesday at which Mrs. W. I. Russell and Mrs. O. E. Chenoweth presided. The affair was given in honor of Mrs. William R. Page, Marshall, Ill., Mrs. George W. Barnes, Kuskokum, Alaska, and Mrs. J. Harvey McGee, Aurora, Ill.

An attractive centerpiece of pink rosebuds and violets graced the table. Nut baskets were in pink and the place cards were dainty affairs which carried out the prevailing color scheme of pink and lavender.

Places were arranged for Mrs. Warren J. McLaughlin, Mrs. L. S. Galvin, Mrs. Thomas D. McLaughlin, Mrs. Allen D. Knisely, Mrs. George Bayly, Mrs. John E. Galvin, Mrs. Virgil Knisely, Mrs. Wallace King, Mrs. Frank Baxter, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, Miss Gertrude Finley, Mrs. Walter Jackson, Miss Lillian Campbell, Mrs. A. J. Brown, Wapakoneta; Mrs. E. R. Curtin, Jr., Mrs. Page, Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. McClure, the honor guests and the hostesses.

Miss Marian Howe, daughter of McCabe Howe, N. Collett-st., and a student at the Columbus School for Girls, enjoyed a visit with Miss Marcia Scott, Athens, also a student at the Columbus School, over Thanksgiving.

The annual Christmas Sewing Bee of the College Woman's club will be held next Saturday at the home of Mrs. Kent W. Hughes, Lakewood-av.

Members are reminded to bring available pieces of silk or cotton, suitable for doll dresses. There will be work to do for "Sweet Charity" together with Christmas songs and Christmas cheer.

At noon a covered dish luncheon will be served by the committee in charge. Miss Florence Price and Miss Violet Bradley are chairman hostesses and will be assisted by the following college women: Misses Mildred Hadsell, Virginia Warner, Esther Hartsorn, Elizabeth Newson, Josephine Garrison, Stella Pennell, Mrs. Clarence Klingner, Mrs. Betty Erica Wilson and Mrs. Henry W. L. Kidder.

The meeting of the Arbutus club, which was to have been held Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. M. Gooding, will be held instead with Mrs. J. C. Butcher, Lakewood-av. The entire program will be devoted to a discussion of current events with Mrs. A. L. White and Mrs. T. B. Greene in charge.

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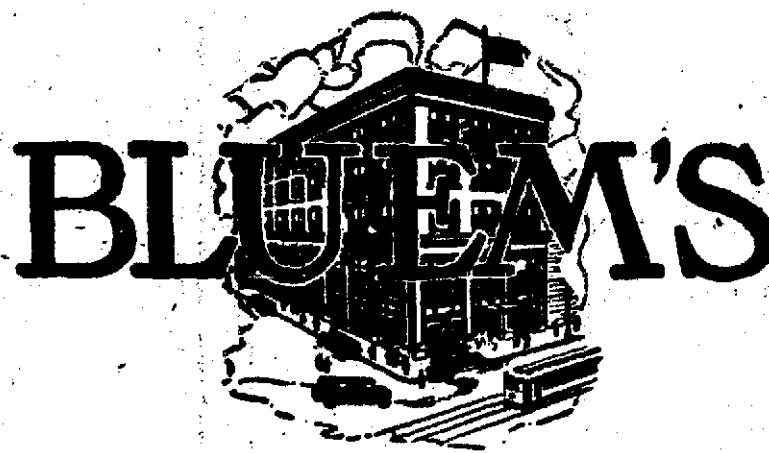
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# Society News

Miss Eva Chesler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Chesler, of this city, and Rayner Laudick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laudick, Kalida, were united in marriage Thanksgiving day.

The marriage was performed in the morning at 9 o'clock at St. Rose church, Mountgator A. E. Manning receiving the vows and celebrating the nuptial high mass.

Miss Florence Laudick, the bridegroom's sister, and Leo Chesler, brother of the bride, attended the couple.

The bride was attired in a midnight blue suit with a picture hat to match. She wore a corsage of pink rose-buds.

The bridesmaid also wore a midnight blue suit and a black panne velvet hat trimmed with silver lace. Her corsage was of pink rose-buds.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, N. Metcalf-st. Afterwards a three course dinner was served to the members of the immediate families.

Mr. Laudick and his bride left in the afternoon on a short wedding trip. Upon their return they will be at home on E. Seventh-st., Delphos.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laudick and family, Kalida; Mrs. W. W. Hart, Tulsa, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Chesler, Toledo.

Mrs. S. S. Coon, S. West-st., welcomed the members of the Good Will club at her home, Tuesday afternoon.

The Good Will club was recently organized for the purpose of sewing for the children in the Lima Day Nursery.

At Tuesday's meeting members responded to roll call with Thanksgiving quotations. Mrs. F. A. Stopleton presented a paper on the subject, "The Truth of Thanksgiving."

In an enjoyable contest, Mrs. James Coats and Mrs. James Whartman were successful. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Joel Spyer in serving a dainty luncheon.

Next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Frank Brown, Hughes-av.

Mrs. Addie Buntan, E. Vine-st., entertained at her home Thanksgiving day for dinner the following: Mrs. Frank Carter and daughter Lena, Huntsville; Mrs. Etta Hamilton, Bellefontaine; Irvin Isenberger, Marion; and Mrs. Leona Geisel, of this city.

Christmas Offering meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of Trinity M. E. church will be held at the church Monday afternoon instead of Wednesday because of the Biederwolf tabernacle meeting.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. George Faurer, Mrs. George Vicary, Mrs. Charles Rish and Mrs. C. A. Wolff.

Mrs. L. C. Binkley will lead in the devotionals and Mrs. Elmer Roberts will have charge of the program. The abecedarium will be conducted by Mrs. S. M. Williams and a demonstration, "At the Well" will be in charge of Mrs. E. A. Yeum.

Mrs. Charles Black will have charge of the music and Mrs. E. B. Martin. Mrs. Karl Komminsk and Mrs. K. L. Kah will preside during the social hour.

Miss Olga Moss, E. Vine-st., welcomed a group of guests at her home at a Thanksgiving party, Thursday evening. Games, dancing and music were the diversions and at a late hour a delicious luncheon was served.

The guests included Misses Mary Rhoades, Margaret Moss, Goldie Carey, Madeline Neumier, Evelyn Dearth, Estella and Rosella Von Gries, Esther and Louise Goodie, Vivian Colton, Mildred Lewis and Neal Seary.

Nearest William Gross, Robert Hall, Robert Finicle, Joseph Kan, Jessie Johns, Ted Bushong, A. Goodie, Jake Gordon, Robert Musler, Frank Parks, Samuel and Walter Runyan, Raymond Short and Carl Hoyt.

Mrs. Frank Taylor, E. Market-st., welcomed the members of the Pleasant Evening club at her home, Friday.

Members present included Mesdames M. Allen, H. Evers, J. Evers, S. Carey, L. Sain, C. Taylor, C. Hams, John Swartz, M. Keller, and Charles Hawthorn and Mrs. Taylor.

The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. Allen, Hazell-av.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry L. Gayer and daughter, Kathleen, Cincinnati, have been visiting with Mrs. Gayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Thompson, Shawnee, over Thanksgiving.

The Gayers are leaving Sunday for Cleveland for a visit before returning to their home.

Miss LaVera Kohler, Methodical-av., welcomed the members of the Amilo club at her home, Monday evening. The time was enjoyed socially and a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Thanksgiving favors were presented to the guests.

Those present included Misses Serilda Shumaker, Cecil Brown, Regina Patton, Madge Breese, Dorothy Laughlin, Frances Hoberhour and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fischer, Sr., Mrs. Robert Wehr and daughter of Wapakoneta were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil F. Lutgenau and family.

Mrs. Clarence L. Mumaugh entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at her new home on W. Elm-st., for the pleasure of Miss Louise Zurnmely, a student at Ohio Wesleyan University, and her college room-mate, Miss Dorothy M. Leuk, of Lewis, Delaware.

The dinner was given in honor of Miss Zurnmely's 18th birthday anniversary.

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## CLUB CALENDAR

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Arbutus club, Mrs. J. C. Batchelor, afternoon.

Monday Evening Bridge club, Miss Margaret McNeil.

Climax club, Mrs. J. I. Motter, evening.

Round Table, Mrs. J. C. Kelley, afternoon.

Philomathean club, Mrs. Willard M. Price, evening.

Twentieth Century club, Mrs. L. H. Rogers, evening.

Tri Theta sorority, Miss Lorene Burkhardt, evening.

Women's Foreign Missionary society of Trinity M. E. church, in the church, afternoon.

Loyal Ladies' Class of Olivet Presbyterian church, Mrs. E. T. Fenwick, evening.

Senior Standard Bearers of Trinity M. E. church, Miss Mary Wilson, 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Mrs. W. L. Parmenter entertains the West-End Bridge club at 1 o'clock luncheon at her home.

Bide-a-Wee Bridge club, Mrs. H. M. Kamerer, 2 p. m.

Needlecraft club, Miss Lydia Truby.

Young People's Missionary society of Bethany Lutheran church, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stonecker, 7:45 p. m.

Congregational Circle, Mrs. F. H. Moore, afternoon.

Von Bora Circle, Mrs. Ira Klinger, afternoon.

Community Service club, Mrs. John Stevens, all day meeting.

Kee-Mar club, Mrs. Fred Rents, 2:30 p. m.

Dorcas Circle of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. H. S. Coats, afternoon.

Odevena club, Mrs. Ethel Kaiser, afternoon.

### WEDNESDAY

Mercy Circle of King's Daughters, all day meeting, Mrs. C. O. Sullivan.

Temple Sisterhood, Mrs. Louis Block, 3 p. m.

Primrose club, Mrs. E. A. Daymon, afternoon.

Palmedo Euchre club, Mrs. R. A. Schneider, afternoon.

Wednesday Five Hundred club, Mrs. George Ambos, 2 p. m.

Amapola club, Mrs. H. E. Clapper, afternoon.

Colleen club, Miss Helen Walters, evening.

Ladies' Aid society of Bethany Lutheran church, Mrs. Ira Finicle, afternoon.

Ladies' Aid and Missionary society of Zion Lutheran church, church basement, afternoon.

### THURSDAY

Martha Washington club, Mrs. Samuel Baumgardner.

S. C. D. club, Mrs. Mary E. Stehr, afternoon.

Pons club, Mrs. E. R. Hunt, afternoon.

Pleasant Hour club, Mrs. T. O. Stanner, afternoon.

Social and Literary club, Mrs. O. M. Polser, afternoon.

Ideal club, Mrs. A. D. Sutton, afternoon.

Jolly Worker's club, Mrs. H. L. Teal, 2 p. m.

Ladies' Aid society of Immanuel Lutheran church, Mrs. Elizabeth Ulrich, afternoon.

Laurel club, Mrs. Rodney Lynch, afternoon.

FRIDAY

Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Terwilliger entertain the T. and T. club at 8 o'clock dinner at the Lima club.

SATURDAY

Annual Christmas Sewing Bee of the College Women's club, Mrs. Kent W. Hughes.

Miss Gladys Baker entertained, with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Mary Stephan, bride-to-be of the Christmas holidays.

The evening was pleasantly whiled away informally and at a late hour a delicious repast was served. A color scheme of pink and white was observed and a huge basket of rosebuds adorned the table.

The invited guests included Misses Ruth and Mildred Stephan, Lucille Colbert, Louise Mook, Ruth Williams, Ruth Finicle, Margaret Borgart, Ethel Newell, Evelyn Schauf, Grace Morrison, Henrietta Murphy, Irene Feeney, Lulu Ewing, Harriet Bowsher, Laura and Clara Broge, Nellie and Mildred Albrecht, Kathryn Wolfe, Mrs. Charles Schauf, Mrs. Arnold Trempert, Mrs. E. Z. Vesper, Mrs. J. W. Baker and the honor guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kave, Wapakoneta entertained as their guests Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kave, Mrs. Grace Kave and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owen and daughters, all of this city.

Miss Ruth Timme and Miss Mildred Eickelberg, both of Chicago, are house-guests of Miss Blanche Finicle, S. Metcalf-st.

Miss Lorene Burkhardt, W. Elm-st., visited in Toledo with Mr. and Mrs. David Higby, formerly of this city, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Glenna Marie Brideweser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brideweser, W. Market-st., and Wilbur Dale Newland, Toledo, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Newland, S. Pine-st., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The affair was marked with simplicity.

The Rev. Paul Paffley, pastor of Zion Lutheran church officiated, and there were no attendants. Mrs. Elwood Hilleary, Defiance, at the piano, played the wedding music.

The bride was attired in a turquoise blue chiffon velvet gown with trimmings of silver. A bandeau of blue metal flowers encircled her head and her corsage was of bride's roses.

A wedding dinner followed the ceremony. Places were arranged for Mr. Newland and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newland, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brideweser, Mr. and Mrs. Murel Newland, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hilleary, Defiance; Miss Helen Scheufler and Miss Jean Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Newland will make their home in Toledo.

Mrs. H. G. Spangenberg, W. North-st., was hostess to the members of the Jollyo Euchre club, Wednesday evening. At the close of the playing with Mrs. Cloyd Younkum and Mrs. H. L. Teal holding high scores, the hostess served a delicious luncheon. Guests other than club members were Mrs. Roy Simpkins and Mrs. James Bowersock.

Next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. L. Garlock, Hazel-av.

Mrs. J. H. Table, E. Burdick-st., was hostess to the members of the Progressive Euchre club, Wednesday afternoon. In the playing, Mrs. John Cookman and Mrs. R. L. Lynch held high scores among the members and Mrs. Herman Table among the guests. The only guests were Mrs. Rolia Wildoner and Mrs. Table.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Snyder, W. Circular-st. This will be in the form of the Christmas party.

Mrs. Earl Hall, Terrace Court, welcomed the members of the Soquantum club, Friday evening. Five hundred was the diversion. Miss Hazel Robertson holding high score and Miss Anna Leasure, low. At the close of the playing a delicious luncheon was served.

Members present included Misses Nell Wyatt, Opal Dixon, Hazel Robertson, Flora Gilbert, Anna Leasure, Rhese Dixon, Lucille Rubles, Elizabeth Winterman, Margaret Schuitze, Jean Thuburn, Helen Ripley, Catherine McIlvain, Mrs. Robert King and Mrs. Richard Jones. Mrs. Lamont Hoffman was the only guest.

Next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Richard Jones, Holmes-av.

Mrs. Minnie Saltz entertained the members of the Armitage club at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stevens, Allentown-rd. Enjoyable contests, in which Mrs. Ora Green, Mrs. Charles Gordon and Mrs. Leffer were successful among the members and Mrs. Reynolds among the guests, were enjoyed after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Stickle, N. West-st.

Hawthorne club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Nettie Bacone, W. Elm-st. The afternoon was enjoyed socially and in a contest, Mrs. Howard Fisher was successful. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Howard Fisher, Holly-st, Thursday, December 14th. A Christmas grab bag will be a feature at this meeting.

Mrs. T. J. Cunningham, N. McDonel-st., entertained the members of the Merry Wives' Euchre club at her home, Friday evening. At the conclusion of the playing with Mrs. Daniel Dimond holding high score, the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. Esther Chivington, W. High-st., was a guest at a dancing party given in Wapakoneta Friday evening by Miss Mary Katherine Klipfel.

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Kee-Mar club will meet with Mrs. Fred Rents, 1163 Brice-av, Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

Palmedo Euchre club will meet with Mrs. E. A. Schrader, 445 Marlan-av, Wednesday afternoon.

Community Service club will be entertained all day Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John Stevens, 751 N. Main-st. The assistant hostess will be Mrs. Charles Dew.

Ideal club will meet with Mrs. A. D. Sutton, 918 W. High-st, Thursday afternoon.

Bide-a-Wee Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Kamerer, W. Market-st, Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Mrs. F. H. Moore, 613 E. Market-st, will entertain the Congregational Circle, Tuesday afternoon.

Ladies' Aid and Missionary society of Zion Lutheran church will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church, basement. All members urged to be present.

Ladies' Aid society of the Immanuel Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Elizabeth Ulrich, 136 Dingle-dine-av, Thursday afternoon.

Loyal Ladies' Class of Olivet Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. E. T. Fenwick, 311 Madison-av, Monday evening. All members urged to be present.

Von Bora Circle will meet with Mrs. Ira Klinger, 327 N. Baxter-st, Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Terwilliger, W. Market-st, will entertain the members of the T. and T. club at 6 o'clock dinner at the Lima club, Friday evening.

Miss Helen Walters, Ewing-av, will entertain the members of the Colleen club, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. O. Stanner, S. Main-st, will be hostess to the members of the Pleasant Hour club, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. M. Polser, 722 Brice-av, will entertain the members of the Social and Literary club at her home, Thursday afternoon.

Needlecraft club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Miss Lydia Truby, S. Metcalf-st. The afternoon will be devoted to sewing for the Red Cross.

Laurel club will meet with Mrs. Rodney Lynch, E. Elm-st, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Kaiser, 215 W. Spring-st, will entertain the members of the Odevena club at



## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Zurnehly and daughters, Miss Louise and Dorothy, Brice-av., and Miss Dorothy M. Laves, Delaware, enjoyed Thanksgiving with friends and relatives in Carlsale.

Miss Bernice Sherman, Columbus, and Miss Katherine Timpe, Sidney, will return to their homes Sunday after visiting over Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nagelson, N. Col. st.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hentze, S. West- st., were the guests of Mrs. Hentze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Moore, Lakewood, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Louise Zurnehly, a student at Ohio Wesleyan University and her room-mate, Miss Dorothy M. Laves, Delaware, have been spending the Thanksgiving vacation with Miss Zurnehly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Zurnehly, Brice-av.

Miss Edna Hawisher, a teacher in the high school at Crookville, has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hawisher, W. Market-st.

Miss Rose Agerton and her guest, Miss Marjorie Vance, Delaware, will return to Cincinnati to resume their duties at East high school after a short stay with Miss Agerton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Agerton, Lakewood av.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roberts, W. Spring-st., entertained as their guests over Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Westervelt and daughter Margaret and son Charles, Jr., Columbus.

Miss Selma Weirhausen, State-st., is entertaining as her week-end house-guest, Miss Agnes Westervelt, Cincinnati.

Miss Mary Farmer, W. Market-st., will return Wednesday from a three weeks' stay in New York.

Mrs. Marc Frank will return to her home in Toledo Monday after a short stay with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Blum, Fairport-av. Mrs. Frank was formerly Miss Edith Lichtenstader, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Galvin, W. Market-st., visited with Mrs. Galvin's mother, Mrs. J. M. Fetter, Peru, Ind., over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Smith, Cleveland, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mummaugh, W. Market-st.

Miss Margaret Graham, N. Charles-st., will return Sunday from Columbus, where she has been visiting with friends over Thanksgiving.

Miss Margaret Mahaffey will return Sunday to Cincinnati, after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mahaffey, N. Charles-st., over Thanksgiving.

## STOWAWAY



Here is the loveliest of stowaways, Miss Jeanne Bonar, who is being held at Ellis Island waiting official disposition of her case. Miss Bonar is Russian by birth and friends in this country are trying to prevent her deportation.

for the entertainment of the Central district meet next fall. The last district conference was conducted in Marion in 1916 when Mrs. George Zimmerman, of Fremont, was state president and Mrs. John W. Roby, of Lima, was district vice president. Mrs. Zimmerman is now chairman of the department of fine arts for the state federation and Mrs. Roby is state federation chairman of music.

Mrs. B. F. Freshwater, of Delaware, has been named a member of the state federation committee of music in the Central district. Mrs. Freshwater is widely known in musical circles. She was at one time connected with the conservatory of music of Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware.

Americanization classes have been inaugurated by the Willard Federation which conducted a successful kindergarten. The Willard Federation asked for the enforcement of a curfew law and this is now being done. It had a luncheon meeting in honor of Mrs. Robert E. Morris, of Toledo, literature chairman, November 10.

## SUSIE SMART'S ADVICE

Dear Miss Smart: I WANT to ask you if there are any happy marriages? It seems that there are so few real happy marriages. Like all other girls, I thought mine would be different, but now I find after two years of married life my husband is indifferent and seems to care very little for me. I am so unhappy. Can you please tell me why all men become indifferent and unconcerned after they are married? A READER.

ARE you so sure that they all do? It isn't fair to judge the entire "army" of striving married men by those few, who have simply taken their wives and everything else just for granted. It isn't that these men have become exactly tired of their wives—they have simply become settled and matter of fact in their manner. This is wrong, of course, but often the fault does not lie entirely with them. Women, too, sometimes grow indifferent and neglectful. No doubt you have been so busy grieving over your husband's attitude that you haven't had time to notice your own.

There are many, many, happy marriages, of course. And the whole secret of the success lies in the fact that both the husband and wife understand each has a great many faults that perhaps were unnoticed before. Be as tolerant of your husband's shortcomings as you would wish him to be of yours.

Dear Miss Smart: I gave a party. We invited two young boys to the party and one was supposed to escort me home. I was very much humiliated when he failed to appear. Do you think that I should accept any invitations from him?

Do not accept invitations from this young boy until he proves himself a gentleman by apologizing for his rude and unkind act. Had it been impossible for him to attend the party and escort you home, an explanation on his part would have been sufficient and you would have understood. However, when he failed to appear and afterwards neglected to offer an explanation or an apology, he was very much at fault. By exhibiting a cool attitude this young man will understand that you were humiliated and hurt by his indifference.

Dear Miss Smart: I am a girl 16 years of age. I went with a boy for a while and now he hardly speaks to me. I think the reason is that I had a party and asked him to take some one else. This I did in order to assure the presence of several others. At the next party I was asked to go with another boy because he would go with no one else. I accepted. I showed the former young man had asked to escort me home from this party. Do you think this reason enough for his latest action? I value his friendship and would like to know how I should act toward him?

Just as you always have. You did nothing wrong and consequently owe this young boy no apology. You are much too young to keep "steady" company with any young boy.

Perhaps your friend will now

understand, the expression, "First come, first served." If he was anxious to escort you home from this party he should have been more prompt in asking you for the privilege.

SPECIAL MEETING OF LIMA CLUB MEMBERS TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 8TH, 7:30 P. M.



## No More Dreary, Weary Wash Days

THOSE little joy-killers—backache, worry and discontent—are absolutely unnecessary when you call upon us to haul away your weekly washing every Monday morning and return it to you fresh and clean.

And you'll find it a pleasure to see our auto drive up to your door and carry away that troublesome bundle.

There's one thing certain: we will handle your finest wearables as carefully as you do yourself. All washings are washed separately in nets. Such a service is to be desired.

## TWO SERVICES

## Damp Wash

16 lbs. for \$1.00  
Over 16 lbs., 5c per lb.

If your clothes are in the laundry by 7 o'clock in the morning, they are returned to you in the afternoon. Every piece washed clean and sweet, and just damp enough for ironing.

## Thrift-T-Service

12 lbs. for \$1.00  
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Your clothes are returned with flat pieces washed and neatly ironed and folded. Wearing apparel are spotlessly white and ready to be starched and ironed. A convenient, economical service.

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## OHIO FEDERATION NEWS

By Mrs. George Elliott McCormick

How many club women voted in the November election? Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, Minneapolis, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. Percy V. Pennypacker, of Austin, Texas, department chairman for American citizenship want to know. They have issued a call urging every club to forward without delay the number of women in its membership going to the polls on November 7. This information should be sent to Mrs. Pennypacker, 1734 North-st., Washington.

A short time ago the Woman's club gave a playlet at Bellefontaine. It was such a big success that mention of it was carried in the Ohio Federation press column with a statement to the effect that others interested in staging the production should communicate with Mrs. Robert E. Morris, 2648 Kirkwood lane, Toledo, state federation of literature chairman. Up to date, Mrs. Morris reports receiving 400 inquiries from all parts of the country.

The biennial report is ready for mailing. Each club holding direct membership in the General Federation is entitled to a copy. It will be forwarded upon receipt of postage, weight 40 ounces. Orders should be sent to General Federation head-

quarters, 1734 North-st., Washington.

The most successful home-talent show ever conducted in Lima was that of the Lima Federation November 21 and 22, according to reports made by the committee on arrangements. The sum of \$500 was cleared. Half of this amount was placed to the credit of the Lima Federation's child welfare department and the remainder will be expended for welfare work.

Ten chairmen gave their messages at the Central district conference at Zanesville November 21 and 22, followed by one hour's discussion by the various club women about their club problems and in quizzing the chairmen about plans, in which respective clubs were particularly interested. It was shown by the interest manifest on all sides, according to Mrs. William N. Harder, of Marion, the district vice president, that this easily was the feature of the entire convention. Club women, it is evident, want the personal touch and the help growing out of a free discussion of their problems, and district club officials were highly gratified over the success of the discussion-quizz.

Already Marion has begun to plan

## Greeting Cards and Seals

A beautiful and appropriate assortment of Xmas greeting cards are here and so reasonably priced. 12 to a box 25c—12 to a box 35c—10 (hand decorated) to a box 50c—10 (large, hand decorated) to a box \$1.00. Besides, there are the necessary seals for Xmas packages, and place cards for Xmas parties.

## FELDMAN'S

Lima's Store of Specialty Shops

## Perfume or Toilet Water

A recipient of good perfume or toilet water is always delighted with her gift. You will find in our perfume shop a delightful assortment of the best perfumes and toilet waters from the best known makers. And there are pretty atomizers too! Why not a dainty atomizer filled with delicate lilac perfume for Xmas?

## Suggestions for the Gift Shopper

Time is getting short now. There's none to be wasted just wondering what to give. That's why we present these many gift suggestions; gifts for every age; gifts both large and small; gifts unusual. And the convenience of this printed space is but a reflection of the store itself where everything has been done in the way of displaying gift merchandise to make your Christmas shopping a pleasure and a success. SHOP NOW—THERE'S NO TIME TO LOOSE!

## Hosiery Is Always Appropriate

Silk hosiery, as you know, is always an appropriate gift for the feminine sex whether a little tot, for big sister, or for mother. There are many popular kinds from which to choose—Gotham Gold Stripe, Kayser, Phoenix, Onyx, Felco and others in black and all the fashionable shades. Prices range from \$1.20 to \$5.00.

## From Shop to Shop

## Xmas Stationery

Stationery—"the write gift"—is sure to please. We show a delightful assortment of boxed writing paper in white and colors at 50c and up to \$5.00.

## A Doll for Baby

There are all sorts and sizes of girl and boy dolls, cleverly dressed and baby dolls that cry or say "mamma." Besides there's kites and bears and big patent leather Puss in Boots who says "meow." Priced \$1.00 to \$5.00.

## Kiddies' Furs

Could Xmas be complete if Santa didn't bring set of furs? They're here in various sizes for little folks—Ermine, cooney, fox, possum and others at \$1.95 to \$19.50.

## Silk Petticoats

A most desirable gift for mother or sister is a silk petticoat. You'll find what you want in our Petticoat shop, plain tailored or fancy embroidered ones, in all the popular colors—\$2.95 to \$12.95.

## Bags and Purses

Bags and Purses make ideal gifts. We show them in a great many novel shapes and sizes in all the popular shades. Priced \$1.00 to \$16.95.

## Gloves Are Always Appreciated

Who is it that wouldn't appreciate Gloves for Xmas? Especially those shown in Feldman's glove shop. Smart kid gauntlets are most popular—they are plain or with fancy cuffs and contrast stitching. There are also two clasp styles and those in 12, 16 and 20 button lengths. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$10.50.



## Many a Gift Suggestion

Found In Silk Lingerie

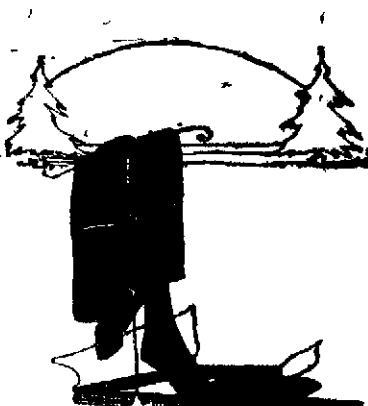
An intimate gift that is sure to please a young lady is a silk undergarment selected from the beautiful assortment shown in our lingerie shop. A vest, camisole, chemise, gown or bloomers. And there are gorgeous match sets—plain tailored or handsomely trimmed with ribbon and lace. The pieces are priced from

\$1.00 up to \$22.50

## A Corduroy Robe

A homey sort of gift that will be received with joy. At \$5.95 there are two attractive styles in rose, copen, navy, orchid and purple

\$5.95



## Out-of-Door Folks Will Like Gifts of Wool

There are such jolly Knitted Wear gifts, the outdoor delight of skaters, hikers, good fellows generally, because they are so cozy and warm. Good to look at too. The collage girl will like silks of Knitted Wear. They have the careless air of sophistication she likes to affect. The recipient won't have to wait to wear them either. She can don them for holiday jollities.

## Wool Gauntlets

—good and warm in camel shade with fancy cuffs of brown, blue, rose, or lavender mixtures, also heather mixtures with white striped cuffs. —\$2.50.

## Scarf and Tam

—of brushed wool to match for young girls and misses. Colors are copen, brown and red—\$2.50.

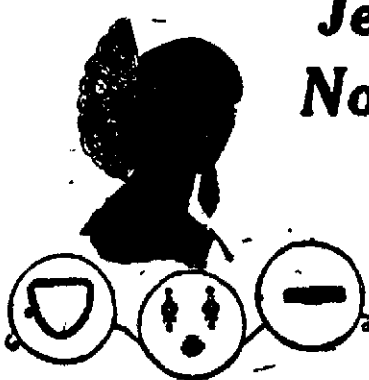
## Sports Hose

—all wool in brown, grey and buck, have embroidered cuffs of contrasting color. A delightful gift—\$2.75.

## Wool Sweaters

—in slip over or turtleneck styles in various fancy weaves and a splendid assortment of colors—\$4.95.

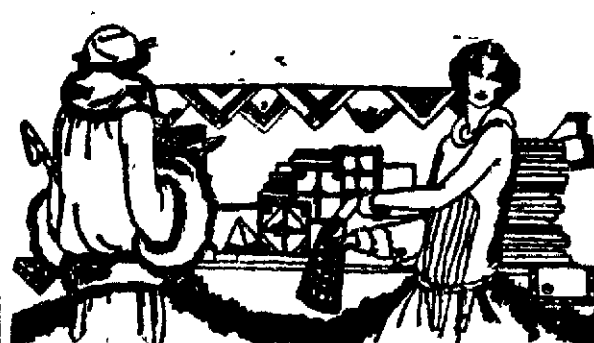
## Jewelry Novelties



A Friendly Gift

Something more than just a card and something less than the usual gift. That is how you want to remember a good many friends isn't it, and for such gifts Jewelry Novelties just about solve the difficulty. Dangle dangles of every sort are very fashionable—it is part of oriental trend in costumes.

## Ear Rings, Necklaces, Bracelets, Novelty Combs



## Handkerchiefs Are Ever Acceptable

A marvelous array of handkerchiefs awaits your selection—all white or white with dainty colored embroidery or borders and many colored sport handkerchiefs. There are handkerchiefs for men, women or kiddies; individual or boxed. A most unusual showing at very reasonable prices—10c and up to \$2.95 each.







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"The Eternal Flame," a magnificent picturization of Honore Balzac's "La Duchesse de Langeais," with Norma Talmadge in the most poignant star-vehicle she has yet graced with her beauty and charm, is the extraordinary First National attraction of the week at the Sigma theatre, where it opens its engagement to-day.

The story revolves about the pet-jealousies, scandals and romances of the Court of Louis XVIII, with the beautiful duchess as the outstanding figure.

Talmadge as the duchess reaches the heights of her wonderfully successful career; as the heartless coquette, she is elusive; as the woman whose true love is doublet and foreworn, she is a most magnetic, appealing figure.

Filmed on a magnificent scale with all the splendor and fine trap-pings of the early eighteenth cen-tury, with hundreds of players ap-pearing in the scenes, "The Eter-nal Flame" may well be termed a motion picture masterpiece. An un-usual well balanced cast of artists, in addition to Conway Tearle, is seen in support of Miss Talmadge.

Adolphe Jean Menjou gives a par-ticularly fine characterization as the Duc de Langeais, while Rosemary The makes an admirable Madame de Sevigne. Wedgwood Nowell is seen as Marquis de Ronquerolles, Karl Lester as Princess de Viamont-Chesray, Thomas Ricketts as Vi-dami de Pamier, Irving Cummings as Count de Marsay and Otis Har-lan as Abbe Gonrand.

The production was personally di-rected by Frank Lloyd, and without doubt is his finest screen achieve-ment.

### The Majestic Pictures

Recent months have seen many European productions on American screens. The newest is "The Isle of Zorda," a picturized version of Jules Verne's novel, "Mathias Sandorf," produced in France by Louis Nalpas and distributed here by Pathe.

Jules Verne was the great French master of fantastic romance. His thrilling stories, "Around the World in Eighty Days," "A Journey to the Center of the Earth," "From the Earth to the Moon," "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," "Mich-el Strogoff" and all others, written years ago, forecast modern scientific invention and discoveries then un-heard of. They furnished our fathers and grandfathers with the action lit-erature of the day. Even today there is not a public library in the country that does not supply a de-mand for the Verne novels, and the readers are children as well as grown-ups.

The tremendous action, thrill and suspense are laid in a semi-Oriental setting that is as rich in atmosphere as a tale from the Arabian Nights, as colorful as a Maxfield Parrish painting as thrilling as a melodrama. "The Isle of Zorda" is the feature attraction at the Majestic theatre.

### THEATRE DIRECTORY

**AT THE NEW ORPHEUM:**  
Rose's Royal Midgets, a com-pany of twenty five talented little folk, open a week's engagement to-day at the New Orpheum theatre.

**AT THE LYRIC:**  
Today, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Priscilla Dean in "Under Two Flags." Thursday, Fri-day and Saturday, Conway Tearle in "A Wide Open Town," and com-edy.

**AT THE SIGMA:**  
Today, and all this week, the Sigma offers Norma Talmadge in "The Eternal Flame." Conway Tearle plays opposite. Also a new Buster Katon comedy, "Cops."

**AT THE FAUROT:**  
Today, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Charles Ray in his United Artists feature, "A Tailor Made Man." Thursday, Friday and Sat-urday, Keith vaudeville.

**AT THE QUINA:**  
Today, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, Peter B. Kyne's novel, "The Pride of Palomar," with Mar-jorie Day and Forrest Stanley. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, with an all star cast in-



A member of the Dancing Chorus with "Up In the Clouds," coming Dec. 18th to the Faurot Opera House.



Norma Talmadge and Adolphe Jean Menjou in "The Eternal Flame"

Opening a week's engagement today at the Sigma theatre.

cluding Lila Lee, James Kirkwood and Jacqueline Logan.

**AT THE MAJESTIC:**  
Today, Monday and Tuesday, the film version of Jules Verne's "The Isle of Zorda." Wednesday and Thursday, all-star cast in "The Song of Life." Friday and Sat-urday, Charles Ray in "A Midnight Bell," and comedy.

**A THE FAUROT:**  
Today, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Charles Ray in his United Artists feature, "A Tailor Made Man." Thursday, Friday and Sat-urday, Keith vaudeville.

**"UP IN CLOUDS" AT THE FAUROT**

When "Up in the Clouds" plays its engagement at the Faurot Opera House on Wednesday, December 13th, this city will have the honor of being one of the few less than week stands to be accorded the big Jos. M. Gaite's enterprise this season. Especial stress is laid on the fact that the company is



CHARLES RAY in "A TAILOR MADE MAN" Opening a four day engagement today at the Faurot.

## STAGE OFFERS VARIETY

(BL. JAMES W. DEAN) — NEW YORK. (Special) — There is nothing if not variety in this season's stage program. Jane Cowl will be starred in "Romeo and Juliet" at the same time that Arthur Hopkins presents Ethel Barrymore in the same piece. "Liza" a musical play in which ne-groes show the native rhythm of their feet attracts almost as many as John Barrymore in "Hamlet."

The events of the present week is the introduction of Charles B. Dillingham's musical comedy, "Bunch and Judy." Each season Dillingham puts on a musical play which runs for months. "Bunch and Judy" will probably run for many months because Fred and Adele Astaire dance in it. Grace Hayes sings

the best jazz songs on Broadway and the Six Brown Brothers play their saxophones. Although Jerome Kern wrote the music it is not of high standard. The comedy is largely slap-stick stuff by Johnny and Ray Dooley. The chorus is the most brilliantly dressed of the sea-son.

Realism is carried to the Nth de-gree in Will Page's "The Bootleg-gers." This loosely constructed play will probably prove popular with some because it is a bitter arraignment of prohibition. Page has been so bold as to charge prohibition commissioners, enforcement officers, judges, policemen, indeed almost everyone connected with enforce-ment of the eighteenth amendment, with graft. Then he quotes Pat-



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IN  
**"The Eternal Flame"**  
AT THE  
**SIGMA**  
FOR THE ENTIRE WEEK  
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TIME OF PRESENTATIONS  
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THE COMEDY OF THE WEEK IS  
**Buster Keaton**  
IN  
**"COPS"**

rick Henry's famous line, "If this be treason, make the most of it."

## ROYAL MIDGETS AT THE ORPHEUM

Starting at today's matinee and for this week only, Manager Shaw of the New Orpheum theatre announces the engagement of one of the most successful companies and the only com-pany of its kind in the world.

Rosa's Royal Midgets, consisting of 25 tiny actors, will hold the boards and will offer Orpheum Pat-rons an entertainment that as far as box office prices are concerned, would be worth \$2 of anyone's money, but due to the fact that Manager Shaw has set one price for all attractions during the regu-lar season, the same New Orpheum standard prices will be in effect for Rosa's Royal Midgets. Twenty-five actors are the personnel of this novelty show and 15 vaudeville acts are given by various members of the different troupes.

This act is playing Lima prepar-atory to opening an extended en-gagement in a big New York musi-cal show and goes direct to New York City from here. Only due to the fact that Manager Shaw is a personal friend of Mr. Rosa en-abled him to secure this attraction for Lima and with the view in mind that capacity crowds will want to see these tiny actors perform, ar-rangements have been made to give four shows today, starting promptly at 2:30, 6:00, 7:30 and 9:15. All shows will be reserved and seats can be secured in advance by phone call.

The costumes worn by these tiny people are the latest creations of the celebrated Lester of Paris and have just arrived from Paris and will be given their initial presentation at the matinee today. A fortune of some \$10,000 has been expended for the costumes alone worn by Rosa's Royal Midgets. A complete band and the only band in Middletown will offer jazz selections, as well as the fam-ous operatic numbers; also clowns, acrobats, comedians, dancers, slank-ers, prestidigitators, interspersed with musical numbers will make this a show that will be remembered in long years to come. Special atten-tion will be given to out of town theater-goers and the extra 6 o'clock show is specially given for out of town people so they can see the en-tire performance and be out in time for various cars.

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QUILNA NEWS  
— COMING THURSDAY —  
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FIGURES DON'T LIE  
WHEN ONE BEHOLDS THEM IN JOS. M. GAITE'S ORIGINAL NEW YORK CHICAGO & BOSTON PRODUCTION OF  
**UP IN THE CLOUDS**  
THE SKY HIGH MUSICAL COMEDY  
"UP IN THE CLOUDS" is undoubtedly one of the most preten-tious attractions which has ever come to Lima. Jos. M. Gaite's, who presented "TAKE IT FROM ME" is sending the original New York-Chicago company intact; the only company presenting this show, 55 people and two car-loads of scenery and effects, with a cast in-cluding Chas. Meakins, Gertrude O'Connor and D'Andrea & Walters indicate the unusual magnitude of this production.

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TODAY, TOMORROW AND TUESDAY  
DOUBLE BILL  
**'THE ISLE OF ZORDA'**  
First Time Showing in Lima  
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TIMELY ADVICE FOR  
WINTERHawisher Tells How Maximum  
Efficiency Can Be Secured

## COOLING SYSTEM IMPORTANT

Battery Should Be Tested Regu-  
larly Every Two Weeks

Timely advice and suggestions to owners on how to secure maximum efficiency from their cars during the winter months is given by E. H. Hawisher, the local Studebaker dealer.

"Winter care is more than a matter of proper attention to the cooling system and the use of anti-freeze mixtures, important to these matters may be," says Mr. Hawisher. "Since the cooling system is highly important, however, we will consider it first. Before any anti-freeze solution is placed in the water circuiting system, the latter should be inspected and repairs made if necessary. It is usually a good plan to replace hose connections at this time of year.

"No anti-freeze compounds con-

taining calcium chloride or other similar compounds should be used as they corrode the inside of the radiator. The only satisfactory solution we know of is alcohol and water. Denatured alcohol is preferable, although wood alcohol can be used. Wood alcohol often contains free acetic acid, and should never be used unless it is known to be free from acid. If acid is present, damage to the radiator will result.

"The following shows different proportions of mixtures, and temperatures at which each solution will begin to freeze:

Ten percent denatured alcohol and 90 percent water will begin to freeze at 27 degrees.

Twenty percent alcohol and 80 percent water will begin to freeze at 19 degrees.

Thirty percent alcohol and 70 percent water will begin to freeze at 10 degrees.

Forty percent alcohol and 60 percent water will begin to freeze at 2 below zero.

Fifty percent alcohol and 50 percent water will begin to freeze at 18 below zero.

"Glycerine is sometimes used with alcohol to keep the amount of alcohol evaporated at a minimum. However, it is rather expensive and also has a tendency to damage the rubber hose connections. If glycerine is used, mix in equal proportions with alcohol and use this mixture in the same percentage as specified for alcohol in the foregoing table.

"It is necessary to add alcohol from time to time to replace what is lost by evaporation. Therefore, when filling the radiator, use a

slightly larger percentage of alcohol than specified in the table to offset the decrease in the percentage of alcohol left in the radiator.

"In order to allow the motor to run warmer than it otherwise would, the fan belt may be loosened during the winter months, thus reducing the flow of air thru the radiator.

"Radiator and hood covers should be used. By using a radiator cover that is adjustable a large part of the radiator can be covered while the motor is warming up, and the opening can then be increased as it warms up. A hood cover prevents the engine from cooling off rapidly when stopped, thereby making it easier to re-start.

"Due to the low gravity gasoline now being used, it is essential, especially in cold weather, to get as much heat as possible in the mixture to vaporize the gasoline properly and to prevent condensation. Radiator and hood covers are a help in this direction. Where a hot-spot in the manifold is used and is controlled by a valve, care should be exercised to see that the valve is open for cold weather driving. In starting the motor, make sure that the choke is closed completely until the motor starts. Then open it slightly until the motor warms up, but do not have it even partially closed longer than is necessary.

"Racing a cold motor will not warm it up; retard the spark and let the engine idle slowly.

"Thought should be given to the lubricating system. Oil should be drained more frequently from the motor in winter than in summer. Cold temperature aggravates the di-

lution of oil by raw fuel, especially when the choke is kept closed too long. The owner should not start to drive his car until the motor has been turning over at a low rate of speed long enough to get the oil into all of the working parts.

"Condensation in the cylinders due to cold weather often results in the mixing of the gasoline with the oil. During winter driving, when the car is operated every day, the oil should be changed about every 500 miles but it is advisable to change the oil every month during winter driving regardless of when fresh oil was last added. This will guard against excessive wear of the bearings or cylinder walls. The oil pan should be removed and washed out with kerosene occasionally in order to prevent the accumulation of sediment which might have a detrimental effect upon the bearings.

"On the subject of the storage battery it may be said that in cold weather the capacity and voltage of a battery are less than at normal temperatures. The engine requires more cranking because of the effects of cold temperature on the lubrication and also because of the incomplete carburation of the fuel when the motor is cold.

"Because of the heavier drain on the battery and its decreased efficiency in the winter, the energy taken from the battery should be conserved as much as possible. If the clutch is thrown out when starting the motor, it will prevent unnecessary turning of gears thru congested oil in the transmission and consequently reduce the load placed on the starting motor and battery.

"The owner should also see that all connections are tight thruout the electric system and that no wires are grounded or shorted. The battery should be tested with a hydrometer every two weeks, and on any two consecutive tests specific gravity is 1200 or under, remove the battery from the car, have it charged, and see that the generator is charging properly. When adding distilled water to the battery in freezing temperature, make sure that the motor is immediately run for a short time to charge the battery. This will mix the added water with acid and prevent freezing.

"If a battery is not properly charged, freezing will result, and the specific gravity, therefore, should be frequently checked. The following table will be found a convenient reference:

Specific gravity, 1.280, full charge, freezes at 90 below zero.

Specific gravity 1.250, three-quarter charge, freezes at 60 below zero.

Specific gravity, 1.215, one-half charge, freezes at 25 below zero.

Specific gravity, 1.180, one-quarter charge, freezes at 8 below zero.

Specific gravity, 1.150, empty charge, freezes at 5 above zero.

"A good hot spark is needed for starting in cold weather. Make sure that all electrical connections are tight and clean, that distributor breaker points are clean and opening set to .020 inch, and that spark plug gaps are set to .025 inch.

"Tires should be properly inflated. If chains are used they should not be too tight. Watch small cuts in tires; otherwise water will soon work into these and loosen the tire structure.

"Adjust the brakes and fit new linings if necessary. See that the brake shafts and such parts are oiled. It is highly essential that the steering gear be properly adjusted and that the wheel alignment be correct. Slippery pavements make it important that the brakes and steering mechanism be in best condition.

"Following the foregoing suggestions will result in fewer complaints and with a more motor car owners in obtaining the greatest degree of satisfaction from winter driving."

POOLING CHRISTMAS MONEY  
TO BUY A NEW BUICK AUTO

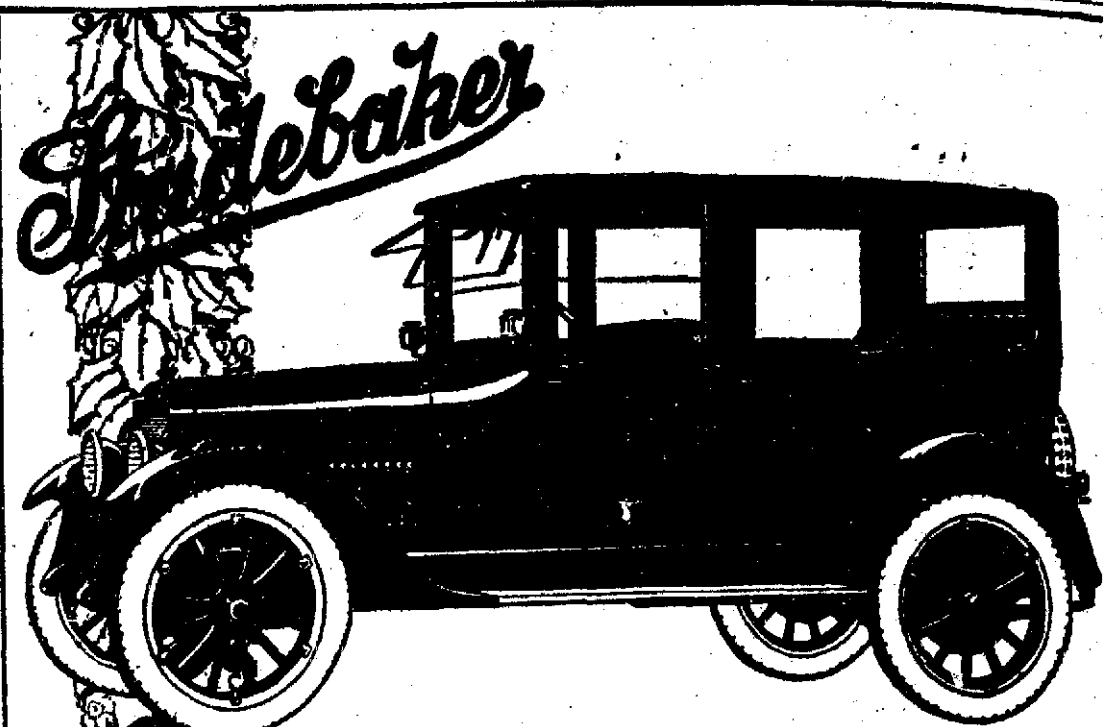
"Pooling Christmas money to buy a new car seems to be a favorite method of getting some all-year good out of Christmas expense this year," says L. B. Morrill of The Lima Buick Co.

"A recent sale of a closed model is typical. The whole family came down town to the showroom. All of us are buying it for each of us, or each of us is buying it for all of us, just as you want," said one of the party when we started to make out the bill of sale.

"Everybody in the family had agreed to put into one fund all he

or she had expected to spend on Christmas gifts and they were glad that they had more the needed to make the first year the car they had all been v

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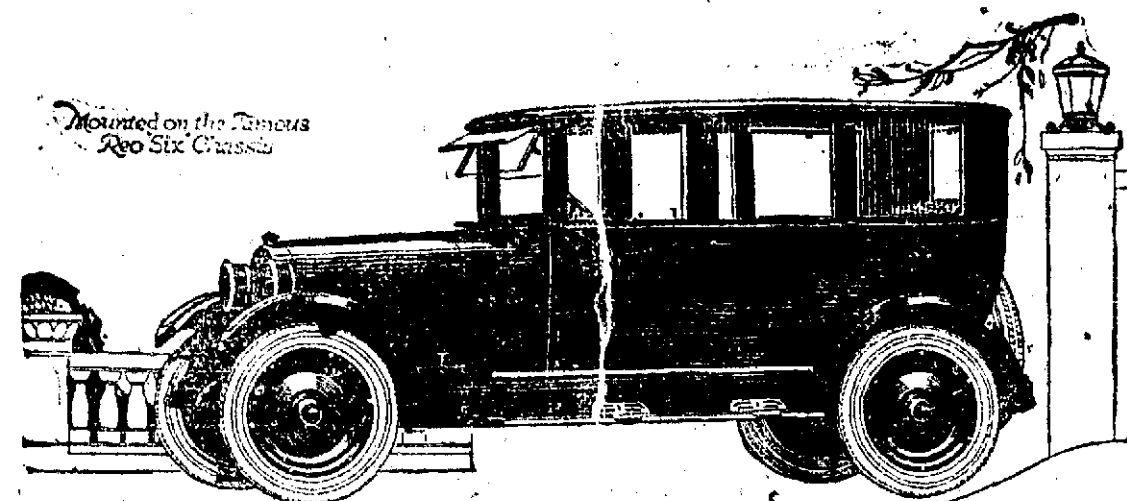
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REO CAR

Cross country runs by stock cars are not a new idea by any means. In fact, the speed demons who tear thru the countryside at racing speed are frowned upon by police authorities and by the public at large.

The run just made by a Reo touring car from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles is remarkable in that the car was not pushed beyond the legal speed limit at any time, and yet, by maintaining a consistent running schedule, it reduced the former record for this distance by six minutes.

To maintain a uniform rate of speed, it was necessary that the car take steep grades without the fast running start which most motorists take.

The highway from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles passes thru the Island Empire of the Rocky Mountains. The elevation ranges from 500 to 6,000 feet, yet the Reo seemed unaffected by changing altitudes and maintained a steady gait for the entire distance.

"The average motorist is not always interested in long runs, or speed tests," says Russell Baker of the Reo-Baker company "for the reason that he is seldom if ever called upon to put his own car to such a test. A run such as that just completed, however, shows what can be done in the way of covering long distances at average driving speeds provided the car itself is built to stand the ceaseless strain."

The total distance of 953 miles from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles was covered by the Reo in 26 hours and 15 minutes, which is exactly six minutes less than the former record.

## AUTO NOTES

Motor traffic into Canada increased by 600 per cent last year.

Ponca City, Okla., has more than one car to each family.

Turning the steering mechanism when the car is still puts a strain on the steering gears and is bad for tires.

Governor Sprout of Pennsylvania will not have a car license with other than the figure 7 in its number.

Closed cars amounted to 30 per cent of this year's output and are expected to mount to 50 per cent next year.

Windshield for the rear seat is made on automatic rollers.

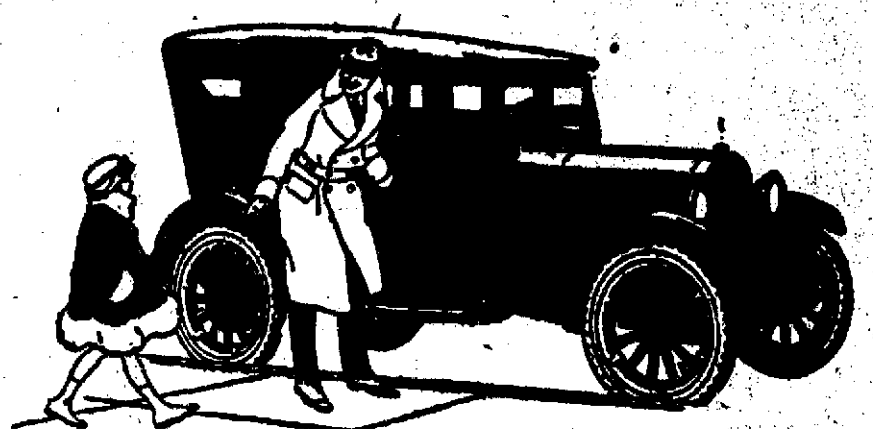
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This car has been an important factor in establishing the present day tendency to drive all winter.

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# LIMA AUTO DISTRIBUTORS ANNOUNCE INCREASE IN SALES FOR NOV. OVER YEAR AGO

## NO INCREASE IN AUTO SALES

Local Distributors Say November Greater Than Last Year

DEMAND FOR ALL MODELS

Closed Jobs Meeting With Great Sales Popularity

An indication of business conditions in any locality is the volume of automobile sales for that territory.

Every Lima dealer announces a decided increase in sales for both new and used cars during the month of November over November of a year ago.

This seems all the more interesting when it is observed that the sales increases include cars of every price, from the lowest to those selling at three, and even four thousand dollars.

One noticeable fact, too, is the statement that the greatest increase in sales has been on closed car models. A great many people who bought new open cars during the past twelve months are now buying closed cars for winter use. It is not now an uncommon thing for many families to operate two cars, one an open and the other a closed model.

The tremendous increase in automobile sales for November speaks an even greater business than ever before in the local automotive trade during the ensuing winter months.

Preparations have been made by the local distributors to have every model constantly on display in their show rooms. The new 1923 cars are now making their appearance and, while the general lines are very much like those of the past year, there are still many decided improvements, both outwardly and throughout the chassis and engine.

TO CLEAN FEED PIPE

Blowing through the fuel or oil feed pipes to clear it of obstructions does not clean the line of a gummy substance that persists in sticking to the inner lining. A more effective method is in passing a piece of cloth through the pipe by attaching each end to a wire. By working the cloth back and forth, the line is sure to be cleaned thoroughly.

## WHEN ROADS ARE CLEAR

If you wish to avoid heavy traffic, while on an auto trip, go out on Tuesday or Wednesday. On these days, between 2 and 3 in the morning, you will find the road most free of motor cars.

This is the conclusion of the United States Bureau of Public Roads, after taking a traffic census of the most traveled roads in the country. From Wednesday to Saturday traffic increases steadily. It jumps to its greatest volume on Sunday.

Ninety percent of the day's traffic, the bureau finds, is between 7 in the morning and 9 at night.

## NEW FIRESTONE WAREHOUSE

Company Opens Branch in Lima for Distributing Purposes

Owing to the tremendous increase in business in Lima territory and realizing the importance of Lima as a shipping center, The Firestone Tire & Rubber company has opened a warehouse at 404-S-4 South Elizabeth-st., according to announcement made Saturday evening by George F. Guinn, Firestone Toledo district manager.

The local warehouse, carrying a complete Firestone and Oldfield tire and tube necessary service and equipment, will be under the general supervision of The Lima Tire & Supply Company, South Elizabeth and Water-sts. Direct sales will be handled thru several Firestone factory representatives who will shortly move their families to Lima.

With the assistance of these representatives, the new arrangement will permit The Lima Tire & Supply company management, Ray Conroy and William A. Pfau, together with their able corps of employees, to give their entire attention to the sales and service of Firestone and Oldfield products in the retail field.

ANTI-SHOCK SPRINGS  
Jars and shocks are said to be considerably reduced by the use of a spring-like "shock absorber" manufactured especially for use on a small car. The springs are attached to the chassis, as shown, without interfering with the regular spring work. There is a special size for trucks.

## BLUE RIBBON IS PROVING POPULAR

Features of New Battery Explained By Jacobs

"The new Blue Ribbon Battery is starting off with a bang. The scientific construction of his battery is the result of scientific research, and is just what every motorist has been looking for, and what he has a right to expect—a battery that overcomes the three most common causes of battery trouble, i. e., overcharging, damage of plates from sulphation, and freezing. It also relieves the motorist of having to make a trip to the service station for distilled water only about every three months," says Mr. Jacobs of the water every two weeks as a Blue Lima Blue Ribbon Battery Company.

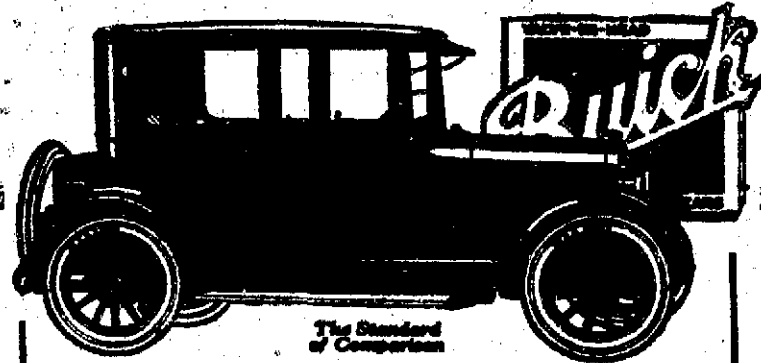
"The secret of the wonderful suc-

cess of this new battery lies principally in the solution which differs from that used in other batteries—is as different from the solution used in other batteries as day differs from night. That is, different in its chemical action but works remarkably well in any other make of battery.

"The owners of any other make of battery can improve the battery wonderfully by having his battery filled with this Blue Ribbon Solution at a small cost. When any battery is so filled, the owner receives a written guarantee that Blue Ribbon Solution will not injure the battery or its connections in any way; that it will prolong the life of the battery; prevent destructive sulphation of the plates, and will not freeze."

The management of the Lima Blue Ribbon Battery Co. cordially invite the public to call at their place of business, 314 W. Market-st., and learn more about this new battery solution and how to get away from what is usually considered the "necessary evil" of every motor car.

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## The Christmas Gift that Pays for Itself

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## The Lima Buick Co.

L. B. MERRITT, President  
Salesmen: Tom Hoffman, Frank Kramer and Joe Goodrick

## Buy the Battery that Lasts

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and **W Batteries**  
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## NOVEMBER SALES OF FORD CARS

Tremendous Increase in Business Over Year Ago

Ford sales in all branches of the Timmerman Motor Sales Co., local agents for Fords, Fordsons and Lincolns, far surpassed the estimated business for November, according to a report sheet issued Saturday by Manager Lynn B. Timmerman.

The Lima agency is a vital part of the Columbus branch of the Ford Motor company, and the branch sales went far beyond the estimate of sales. The Lima agency increased sales 150 per cent over November a year ago.

Last year at this time the Timmerman Motor Sales Co., had a sales organization of six men in the city and one in the country. Expansion has been so great and so rapid that today the services of twelve business men and a large staff of office and service experts are necessary, together with an increased force of

factory mechanics, painters, upholsterers, etc., making a total of about 60 employees. Much of the success of sales during the past month has been due to the higher quality and lower price of Ford cars and tractors, according to Mr. Timmerman. Another thing according to Mr. Timmerman, commenting on that department of the agency under the supervision of Forest Woolley, "Present indications are that the coming year's cars per month.

## F. E. HARMAN

Wins Para-Belle Tube and is all "puffed" up over it. Send in your verses, maybe you'll be the next lucky one.

Now speaking of TIRES—never fear, if it's the front ones, or right or left rear, for you've made no mistake. If they're any good make. If you bought them—guaranteed by Sevier. (Signed) F. E. HARMAN

One of Lima's large commercial concerns has just completed exhaustive tests with ten different brands of tires—covering a period of about six months and adopted PARA-BELLE, giving us their order last Wednesday, No. 25, 1922, for about five months requirements. (Name of this firm furnished upon application to anyone interested.)

The SEVIER TIRE Co., 116 W. Spring

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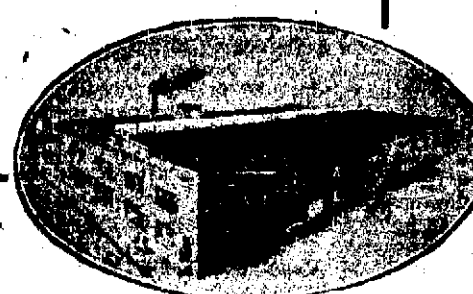
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## SUGGESTIONS FOR THE WINTER CARE OF AUTOMOBILES BY STUDEBAKER DEALER

## RE-ALIGNMENT OF PARTIES SEEN

Survey Shows No Prospect of Third Organization

## NEW POLITICAL FORMATION

Conservatives of Both Parties to Oppose Radicals

(BY EDWARD THIERRY)

WASHINGTON. (Special)—Is a third party coming in American politics?

Or is some other new political alignment imminent?

A survey gives "No" as the answer to the first question and "Yes" as the answer to the second.

The question here is paramount because of these incidents:

Increased strength of progressives and "independents" in the Senate. Ascendancy of Senator La Follette as leader of the "people's bloc". Discussion of such names as La Follette, Senator Borah, Henry Ford and W. R. Hearst as third party presidential candidates.

Suggestion by a Republican that Bernard M. Baruch, Democrat, lead farmers and manufacturers in a new political party.

Leaders of progressive thought in Washington hope for capture of control within the Republican party rather than the rise of a third party.

Says La Follette "The time has come for the organization of a well-defined group, cooperating in support of accepted progressive principles and policies."

Senator Borah says the future of the progressive movement does not necessarily demand the organization of a new party—liberal and sane legislative program laid down by the progressive group is rejected by the party in power.

"I clearly foresee a new political line-up," says Lindley M. Garrison, former member of President Wilson's cabinet. "The political division which is head of us will take this course. The conservatives of both parties against the radicals of both parties, and it will be easier if this is done by the above-board formation of a third party under a new name, and by scrapping one or both of the old parties, or perhaps welding them under a hyphenated name."

CONSTITUTION SEEN AS DIVIDING LINE

Garrison would call it the Liberal Conservative party with the constitution acting as a sort of dividing line between conservative and radical opinion.

Similar methods, in some respect, are advocated by Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, who says:

"The overwhelming majority of Republicans and the overwhelming majority of Democrats who are in substantial agreement on all fundamental issues should speedily find ways to take such steps as may be necessary to form a Democrat-Republican party, which would represent the predominant idealism of our people."

"Over against such a progressive liberal party there would naturally be organized a distinctly radical party to which should go all those who now call themselves Democrats or Republicans, but who are in reality neither."

Samuel M. Vaulchain, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, replies laconically to the survey questionnaire: "I can see no necessity for a third political party."

The same reply is made by George L. Record, friend of Theodore Roosevelt and Bull Moose supporter, and recently a New Jersey senatorial candidate on the Republican ticket. Record thinks a new political party is not "feasible," but will come gradually after the fashion of the creation of the Republican party.

Smith W. Brookhart, new senator from Iowa, agrees. He says: "I do not believe any necessity exists for a new party. What I believe should and will come is progressive control of the Republican party."

Like Record, Senator Ladd of North Dakota thinks history will repeat. He says: "No three parties are continuously possible. The people will either take over one of the existing parties or form a new party as at the time of the Civil War."

"What we need," says Senator Norris of Nebraska, "is less, not more, partyism. Rather than a new party, I should like to see increased independence by the voter."

NEED LESS, NOT MORE PARTYISM

Senator Norris adds that the chief evil lies in the fact that people must vote for candidates—especially presidential candidates—who are chosen by organization leaders. B. M. Baruch believes the difficulty lies in blind voting by people aligned with one party or the other for candidates nominated by that party.

In declaring he had no intention of leaving the Democratic party in order to organize a new political party, as recently suggested, Baruch said he believed in the constructive liberalism of the Democratic party. He said he thought those who have liberal and constructive ideas should get them incorporated into the old parties.

Predicting that progressives will control the Republican party within the next few years Senator Capper of Kansas says:

"I do not look for any third party. However, the progressive spirit justifies hope that the new spirit of the people can direct action thru the present parties."

Says Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor: "If both parties commit themselves to reaction, then both are doomed. But from the standpoint of today I do not see the need for a third party."

MANNING FUNERAL

Funeral services for Patrick H. Manning, 78, who died Friday at his home, 722 N. Elizabeth-st., from infirmities of age, will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at St. Gerard's Catholic church. Interment in Gethsemane.

## THE AUTOMOBILE

(BY J. O. MUNN)

I am speed made subject to human will, I give mankind dominion over distance. I open the avenues of all the world to humanity. I enlarge the radius of human life. I expand the horizon of human opportunity. I give to man a locomotion as rapid and as subtle as his desire. I give to his body the speed and mobility of his ambition. I promote peace and good fellowship in the human race. For I have bridged the spaces that kept men isolated and ignorant of each other. I hurry the master minds of the world to conference places where the destinies of nations are determined. I snatch the dying from the scythe of Death and outrun him a thousand times a day. I am the silent partner in all the business houses of the world. I save hours out of man's work-day and give them to him to play with. I make man free of all the far places of venture, recreation and delight. I am the most capable and constant servant in the homes of men. I bear the sick swiftly and gently out to nature whose touch puts the roses into cheeks fatigue has faded. I take men from their stifling cities of steel and stone out to the murmuring streams and wind-swept meadows. I cement the ties of home and kinship with the blessing of frequent reunion and concerted recreation. I give supremacy of locomotion to man whom nature made slower than the beasts. I am individual transportation free of all laborious limitations. I am the Automobile.

## Your Auto's Electrical System Battery Disease--Sulphation

BY W. H. L. KIDDER

Of the Lima Storage Battery Co.

Without being technical in the least, it is possible to describe the condition known as SULPHATION in a storage battery and to outline some of the remedial measures the local battery dealer has at his command for an improvement of such a condition.

Lyon discharging, the sulphuric acid in the solution acts upon the lead compounds of the battery plates and changes these compounds to lead sulphate. When a battery has been permitted to remain discharged for a long time, or has been over-charged by a short circuit in the wiring system, the lead sulphate hardens on the plates.

The longer the sulphate is permitted to remain as such, the more difficult it becomes fixed and the more difficult it is to return the sulphuric acid that it contains to the battery solution by charging.

In a healthy battery that is being while in use on the car, sulphate does not collect and harden to the point where it cannot be quickly and easily reduced.

The addition of more acid to the solution than that prescribed by the manufacturer also brings about the same result. The overstrong solution combines with the compounds of the plates, and remains there in the form of a sulphate.

Perhaps the most common cause for sulphation, over portions of the plates at least, is due to failure to keep the battery filled with distilled water. It is known that the solution decreases in volume because of the evaporation of water only and that takes place when the battery is being charged. This loss must be replaced regularly or the solution will drop below the level of the plate.

That portion of the plates above the solution becomes sulphated and extremely hard and the only hope that it may ever again be returned to its normal function is to permit a battery man to recharge the battery with extreme care.

DAVIS FUGITIVE, EFFECTS SOLD

Pool Room Fixtures in Delphos Go Under Hammer

Receipts from the sale of pool room fixtures belonging to Rimmer Davis, were not sufficient to cover attachment suits of six parties when they were offered at constable's sale in Delphos Saturday afternoon.

Davis fled the city pursued by police on a bootlegging charge. His whereabouts are unknown. The suits were filed against Davis October 13, in the court of Justice of the Peace D. M. Bliss.

Effects in his poolroom, N. Main-st., brought \$245, or \$174 under appraisalment. Everything fell under the auctioneer's hammer "dirt cheap." Four pool tables brought \$18. One of them was sold for \$3. Other fixtures brought \$5 cents.

According to court procedure, it will be a case of "first come, first served" after court fees, including appraisalment, advertising and other legal costs are paid.

Bliss says the court's claim amounts to \$150. Fred Lammerman, Delphos, comes first on the list of claimants with a bill of \$23.50. Then Al Huysman with \$21.97. Edwards Bros., the Humphrey Grocery Company of Van Wert, Alpha Jenkins and the Lima Cigar company also set up claims. The total claims amount to \$300.06.

Interest in the sale mounted high in Delphos. The poolroom was crowded throughout the afternoon.

Davis was fined in Van Wert three months ago after state prohibition agents raided his place and found liquor.

FRANKLIN FACTORY CAN'T KEEP UP WITH ORDERS; SERIES 10 SELLING FAST

SYRACUSE, N. Y., December 2.—"The increasingly large number of unfilled retail orders for cars, received from customers, is conclusive proof to us here at the factory that the Series 10 Franklin with the new motor is the best Franklin we have turned out in the past twenty years," says S. B. Ackerman, Sales Manager of the Franklin Automobile Company. "Ever since the Series 10 was placed on the market on September 1 the factory has found itself unable to keep up with the demand. In December we shall produce twice the number of cars that we were able to turn out in November. Despite the fact we shall still be far behind, as right now the number of customers' orders we have on hand exceeds the total number of cars that the factory can produce in December. During January, in an effort to meet the demand which seems to be growing all the time, we shall turn out 1,200 cars. During the first six months of 1923 production of the Franklin Six will aggregate 7,000 cars, or at the rate of 14,000 cars for the year. We confidently look forward to next year as the best year in our history."

FRESH EGGS, 50c DOZEN AT WRIGHTS.

## REAR LIGHTS ARE REGULATED

Massachusetts is First State to Set Official Standard

BOSTON, Mass.—Headlights having come under general supervision by the various state, motorists now are in for a series of tail-light regulations.

The first state to open a campaign for proper rear lamps is Massachusetts. Beginning Jan. 1, motorists of this state will have to comply with certain specifications laid down by the legislature here.

These specifications are: The rear lamp and license plate must be together, and in the center of the car.

The lamp must be directly above the center of the tag.

The slot from the lamp must be of sufficient size to allow for illumination of the whole tag and must be covered with glass.

The lamp must be of two candle-power and must be such that it will make the number plate visible at a distance of 60 feet.

TESTS MADE

The rules were formulated by Alfred W. Devine of the Illuminating Engineering Society and approved by Frank A. Goodwin, state registrar of motor vehicles. They were composed after an investigation of tail-light efficiency in several cities.

Out of 205 cars whose rear lights were tested, only one conformed to the new regulations. In 176 cases the lamp was improperly located, in 124 cases the lamp had defective celluloid or no covering of the lamp slot and in 97 instances the slot was too small.

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce has taken up the Massachusetts tail-lamp law and has advised manufacturers to adopt its proposals even before the law goes into effect. If this advice is followed the law will have its effects not only within the state, but throughout the country.

Individual states, however, have interested themselves in this law and are contemplating following the example of Massachusetts. This is one of the 10 states comprising the Interstate Conference of Motor Vehicle Commissioners, which includes the six New England states, besides New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland.

It is presumed that this interstate conference will fall in line with Massachusetts and that, later on other states will follow.

## BUICK DEMAND IS ON INCREASE

All Indications Point to Higher Prices Soon

Although November 15, usually considered a slow month for automobile production Buick is still enjoying an increasing demand for their reliable product. After repeatedly breaking all shipping records in October culminating in a total of 1029 cars on the 29th they reached a new high mark, 1866 cars for the month.

Buick dealers throughout the country are finding it difficult to get delivery and have been unable to get any additional cars for winter stock. However, increased purchasing power of the consumer and slow movement of freight makes it extremely unlikely that any Buick dealer will be able to secure sufficient cars to take care of their Spring demand.

Higher prices for material and labor are predicted and there is a well defined impression among all Buick dealers that prices for Buick Cars will be advanced from \$100.00 to \$150.00.

The Best Christmas Present—A BUICK

Present officers of the club are: Dr. F. Q. Maurer, president; H. R. Hick, vice-president; Dr. D. J. Clark, secretary-treasurer; B. L. Jauman, district trustee and R. H. Jettinghoff, C. J. Leilich, George F. Horne, Dr. G. L. McKenzie, Dr. A. E. Jones, A. J. Laudick and Dr. D. J. Clark, directors.

Change in the manner of electing officers was made recently to conform to new by-laws adopted by the Kiwanis International.

A report concerning the club's participation in the building program for Delphos city park will be read. Financial matters will be broached and some of the ideas worked out by the Kiwanis park committee for furthering the improvement next year will be presented.

Owing to press of business affairs, the club will not be able to discuss the subject of Education Week, which will be observed this week in Delphos.

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## In Lima Churches Today

Christian and Missionary alliance, S. Elizabeth-st., near Eureka-st., L. H. Patterson, pastor, Sunday school 9:15; sermon and communion 10:30 a. m. Evening service at the tabernacle.

Christ Church Episcopal, the Rev. Victor Smith, pastor, Holy communion; 7:30 a. m. Church school 9:30 a. m. Holy communion, with sermon by the rector, 10:34 a. m.

First Spiritualist church, Dime Savings Building, Mrs. Brown, pastor. Sunday service, 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. afternoon, service subject: "Teaching the Law of God." Evening, "The Joy of Observing the Law." Thursday message service at 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Class meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran church, Jackson-st., and E. Kibby-st., the Rev. Karl R. Trautman, pastor. No Sunday school; German service and administration of the Holy communion at 8:45 a. m. English service at 10:30 a. m.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, St. John's-rd., C. H. Eckhardt, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Howard Mayer, superintendent; Service at 9 a. m.

Zion Evangelical Lutheran church, Wayne and N. Elizabeth-sts., the Rev. Arthur H. Peffy, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Theodore DeWeese, superintendent. Special mission service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. Dr. H. J. Schuh, of Anna, will deliver his lecture, "An Indian Story." A cordial welcome to all.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Mezzanine floor, Lima House: Sunday morning service at 11 a. m., subject "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room at 9:40 a. m. Sunday followed by a short Bible school study. This will close promptly in the ad it and young peoples department at 10:15 a. m. in order that our people may

Central Church of Christ Bible school at 9:15 a. m. promptly. A. Marks, superintendent. Communion service will be observed at 9:40 a. m. Sunday followed by a short Bible school study. This will close promptly in the ad it and young peoples department at 10:15 a. m. in order that our people may

International Bible Students at Morris Arcade hall 9:30 a. m. Scripture Study "Difference between

transformation of character and transformation of nature." 10:45 a. m. Scripture study "Where are we on the Stream of Time?" 7:30 p. m. Question Meeting "What is the difference between the Great Salvation Heb 2:30 and the Common Salvation Jude 1:3."

Bethany Evangelical Lutheran church, Spring and Pierce-sts., W. C. Spayde, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. H. A. Slonecker, superintendent. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "Our Advent Faith." Senior Luther League at 6:00 p. m. Evening service at 7:00 o'clock. Gifts for the Christmas box being prepared for the Orphan's Home, Springfield, Ohio, will be brought to the church at the morning and evening services. Strangers are cordially invited to all services.

First Church of Christ Scientist, 553 W. Market-st. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 7:30 p. m. Reading room at church, open every day except Sunday and legal holidays. From 11:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. The public is welcome to all services and to the reading room. This church is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Missionary Society of The First United Brethren Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Vanatta 967 W. North-st. Wednesday, December 6th, at 2 p. m. Special service.

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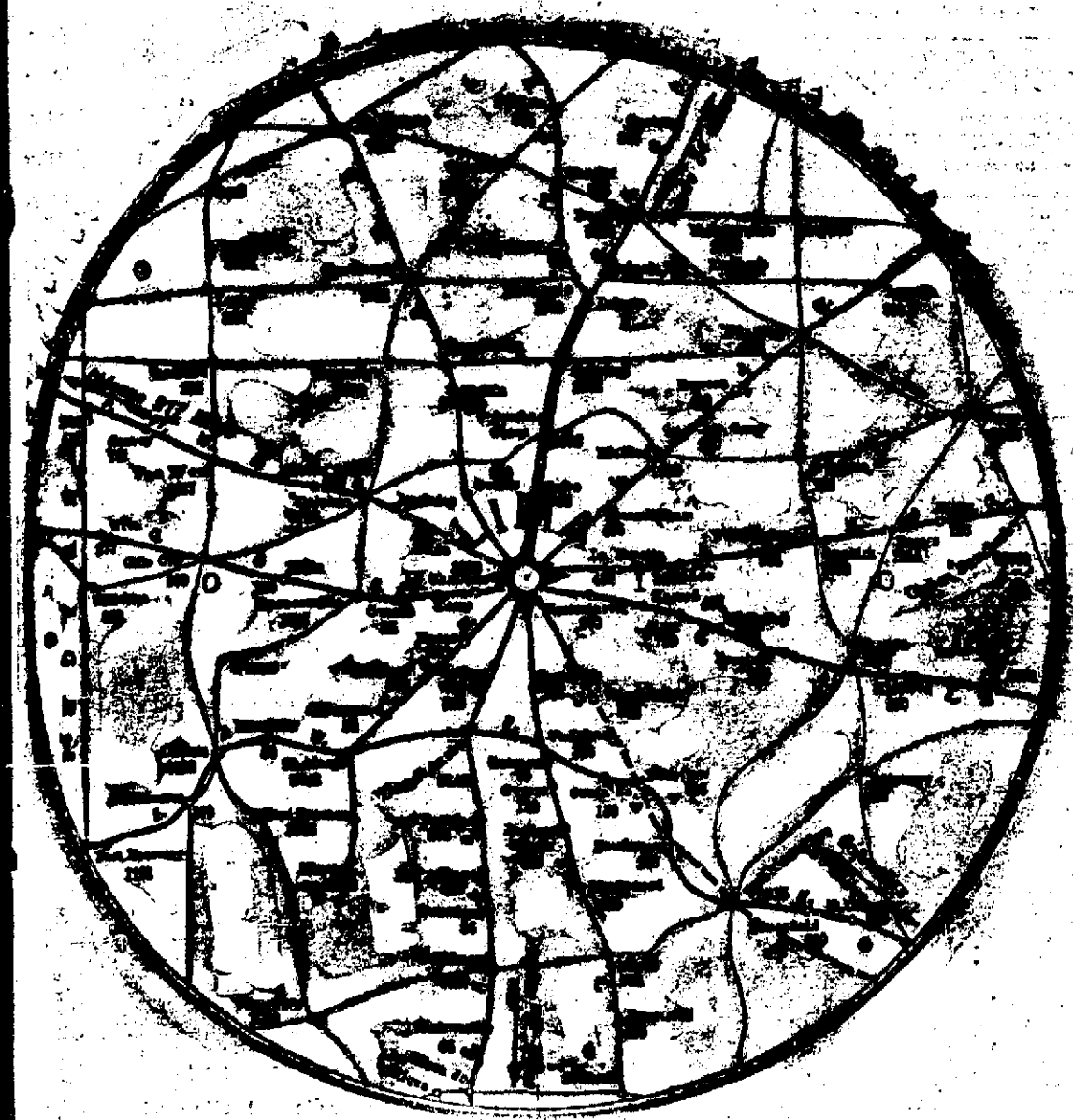
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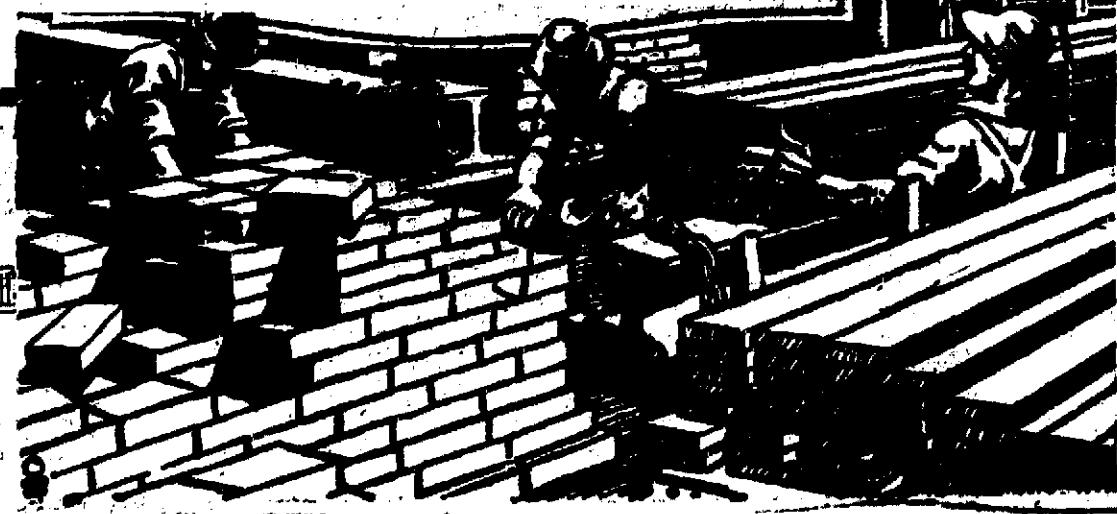
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## LODGE NOTICES

UNITED COUNCIL 3659, SECURITY  
Benefit Association, will hold a short  
business session in I. O. O. F. Hall,  
Central Bldg. N. Main, which will  
be followed by a card party and re-  
freshments on Dec. 9th, evening.

THE LADIES OF G. A. R. WILL  
meet in regular session at Memorial  
Hall Monday evening at 7:30 p. m.

LODGE NOTICE  
Regular meeting of the Shrine  
next Friday evening, at which time  
all who can go to report their acqui-  
sition to attend the "W. V. W. W."  
meeting on Dec. 15. A. H. Becker, W. S.

## CARD OF THANKS

I desire to express my thanks to Lima  
Chapter No. 2, American Legion, for  
the prompt payment of my in-  
surance and beneficiary by my husband  
(Signed) MRS. CHAS. CLUCK

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST - LADY'S WRIST WATCH BE-  
tween 320 N. Main and Main St. Finder  
please return to J. C. Barton & Hughes,  
334 N. Main. Reward.

LOST - BRINDLE BULL PUP WITH  
harness, right hind ear with ears  
clipped and bobbed tail. Lark 671.

LOST - MAN'S BROWN OVERCOAT,  
belt. Finder call Main 2751. Re-  
ward.

LOST - PLUSH BELT OFF OF COAT  
on Harrison at Eureka St. Finder  
call High 3883 or 511 Rosedale.

LOST -  
Medium size brown leather purse at  
the football game - contents letter,  
addressed to Dorothy Miller, Cin-  
cinnati, also \$10.00 cash. Reward.  
Call Main 3887.

WANTED - DISH WASHER PER-  
manent position for right party. Ap-  
ply at New Hudson Lunch, 334 N.  
Main.

WANTED - MEN TO USE NO-AKE  
for pains of every kind. Prompt re-  
sult for headache, neuralgia, rheuma-  
tism, toothache, headache, nervousness  
or sleeplessness. At any drug store,  
25c. The Peruna Company, Colum-  
bus, Ohio.

LIMA MEN-WOMEN OVER 17 WANTED  
to do house work. Get the  
government jobs. Steady work. No  
travelling. No labor. Life positions.  
No experience. No money. No  
vacation. Common education suffi-  
cient. Influence not needed. List po-  
sitions now. Write to: J. C. Barton &  
Hughes, 334 N. Main. Write to:  
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WANTED - EARN \$35-\$100 WEEKLY  
spare time. Write to: J. C. Barton &  
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WANTED - WOMEN TO DO FANCY  
work at home. Spare hours. Material  
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# WANTED EXPERIENCED CIGAR ROLLERS also BUNCHMAKERS

**Odin Cigar Factory**  
Daylight Plant  
Corner North and Central Ave.

## FEMALE HELP

WANTED - YOUNG LADY FOR OF-  
fice work, one that has some knowl-  
edge of typewriting and shorthand.  
Address Box 400, care Lima News.

WANTED - AMBITIOUS GIRLS TO  
take business or music course. Work  
way through college. Will give room,  
board and small salary. Paterson In-  
stitute, LaGrange, Ill.

WANTED - ELDERLY LADY TO AS-  
sist with housework in small family.  
modern home. will consider small sal-  
ary. Rice 5772.

WANTED - GIRL FOR GENERAL  
housework, good wages, permanent  
place. Call Main 727.

WANTED -  
Lady bookkeeper, permanent posi-  
tion, experience necessary. Call to  
person at 114 E. Market street,  
Lima, Ohio.

WANTED -  
Woman bright, ambitious, 35 to 55  
years to be trained for permanent  
position with large corporation.  
Part time, \$18 per week. Address  
M. J. Cate News.

WANTED -  
Salesladies in several departments.  
can use some for all day or part  
time employment. Apply at once.  
Feldman Co., 221 N. Main St.

WANTED -  
YOUNG LADY  
for Music Department  
KRESGE'S TEN CENT  
STORE

WANTED - MAID TO TAKE CARE OF  
baby, middle aged woman preferred.  
Call Main 6774.

MALE HELP

WANTED -  
Man to work on farm; must  
be able to milk cows. Ap-  
ply J. F. Penn, first farm  
west of corporation line, W.  
Elm St. road. Rice 2879.

WANTED -  
Men wishing positions fire-  
man, brakemen, colored Train Por-  
ters, on large Ohio Road, write for  
information \$125-\$200 month. Ex-  
perience unnecessary. Inter-Railway,  
Dept. 369, Indianapolis, Ind.

MAN IN EACH TOWN TO PLATE  
and furnish auto, reflectors, beds,  
mirrors, chandeliers, by new method,  
110 daily without capital or experi-  
ence. Quilt furnished. Gunmetal Co.,  
St. Paul, Minn.

ELECTRICITY TAUGHT BY EX-  
pert. Learn what you learn at home.  
Electrical book and proof lessons  
free. Satisfaction guaranteed and  
position secured. Write to Chief En-  
gineer Cooke, 2144 Lawrence Ave.,  
Chicago.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAY MAIL  
Clerks - Start \$132 month; expenses  
paid. Specimen examination ques-  
tions free. Columbus Institute, Columbus,  
Ohio.

MEN - SELL GUARANTEED NURS-  
ery stock and plant agents. Prompt  
pay. New method. Herrick Nursery  
Co., Rochester, N. Y.

MAN TO SELL GUARANTEED  
"Thrubs" roses, trees, plants. Weekly  
pay. Write now. Barry Nursery  
Co., Rochester, N. Y.

MEN WANTED TO QUALIFY FOR  
Fireman, brakemen, colored Train Por-  
ters, on large Ohio Road. Experience  
necessary. Transportation furnished.  
Write to: W. J. Boggess, St. Louis.

FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, BEGINNERS  
wanted. (Salary position).  
Railway, care Lima News.

WEN WANTED FOR DETECTIVE  
work. Experience unnecessary. Write  
for details explaining guaranteed po-  
sition. J. G. Gator, former Govt. De-  
tective, St. Louis, Mo.

MEN - AGE 17 TO 35. EXPERIENCE  
unnecessary. Travel, make secret in-  
vestigations reports. Salaries, ex-  
penses. American Foreign Detective  
Agency, 542 E. St. Louis.

MEN WANTED FOR U. S. MAIL SER-  
vice. \$115 to \$150. experience or cor-  
respondence course unnecessary.  
Write E. S. Bishop, Box 391, Joplin,  
Mo.

BE A DETECTIVE - \$50-\$100 WEEKLY.  
Travel over world. Get the  
government jobs. Steady work. No  
travelling. No labor. Life positions.  
No experience. No money. No  
vacation. Common education suffi-  
cient. Influence not needed. List po-  
sitions now. Write to: J. C. Barton &  
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WANTED - YOUNG MEN WITH MAN-  
ual training experience preferred.  
Address Box 252, The People Pattern  
& Mfg. Co.

SHIRT MANUFACTURER WANTS  
Agents to sell shirts direct to wearers.  
Earn big money. Be your own boss.  
No experience. No money. No  
vacation. Write for free samples. Madison  
Mills 507 Broadway, New York.

RAID AUTO AND TRACTOR SCHOOL.  
Dept. 701, 10th and Walnut St.  
Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED - ONE HUNDRED LADIES  
to purchase from their nearest dealer  
one package of No-Ake for neuralgia,  
headache, neuralgia, rheumatism,  
toothache, headache, nervousness  
or sleeplessness. No need to suffer. Try  
No-Ake. At cents. The Peruna Co., Co-  
lumbus, Ohio.

LOCAL AGENT - \$50.00 A WEEK  
guaranteed selling Min-Erol Soap.  
Something new. Not sold in store.  
This is a money-maker. Be first.  
Reap the harvest. Min-Erol Products  
Co., Canton, Ohio.

## MALE HELP

WANTED -  
Handy men and building la-  
bor. 40c per hour.

APPLY  
James Stewart &  
Co., Incor.  
CONTRACTORS  
At Lima Locomotive Works

YOUNG MAN OVER 21 YEARS OF  
age to learn the tile business. As-  
sist in own handwriting, giving par-  
ticulars as to education. References  
required. The Guarantee Title & Trust  
Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

COMBUSTION ENGINEERS; men 20 to  
35 years of age to learn the highest  
paid profession in engineering. Po-  
sitions now open. Address: Com-  
bustion Engineer, P. O. Box 251,  
Lima, Ohio.

WANTED - 2 PRACTICAL TINNERS.  
The Chas. Hoffman Co., Mansfield, O.

WANTED -  
AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORY  
DISTRIBUTOR  
Live wire distributor for Allen Coun-  
ty to represent manufacturer.  
THE T-N-T SPARK PLUG CO.,  
Cleveland, O.

EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN WISHES  
position in Restaurant. Address Box  
84, News.

THREE MEN  
to drive teams. Inquire 1000  
W. Kibby. Main 418.

W. A. CARY

WANTED -  
Traveling salesman, permanent;  
salary and expenses. Change effec-  
tive January 1. State age, married  
or single. Box No. 447, care News.

AGENTS & SALESMEN

SALES REPRESENTATIVES, THE  
pioneer guaranteed hosiery mills of the  
United States want an energetic man  
to develop local territory on genuine  
pure silk hosiery, direct from mill to  
consumer. Exclusive territory. No  
salary. Merchandise, made in our  
own big mills, prompt deliveries. Men  
with experience write an energetic man  
preferred. Address International Pure  
Silk Mills, Norristown, Pa.

SALESMEN CAN COLLECT \$50  
weekly advance and \$500 monthly in  
cash. Exclusive territory. Write to:  
Williams, 445 Dean St., Brooklyn.

ATTRACTIVE TOILET SPECIALTIES,  
quick easy, selling combinations, 300%  
profit and \$3.00 worth goods free fur-  
nished. Write to: J. C. Barton & Hughes,  
334 N. Main. Write to:  
J. C. Barton & Hughes, 334 N. Main.

\$20.00 DAILY EASY. BIG WONDER  
new. For every body. Sample free. Textile  
Products Company, 693 Broadway,  
New York.

WANTED - AGENTS "44" HOUR  
taking orders for "44" Hour Food  
products. Variety. Sell every day  
in the year. Big repeaters. Write for  
sample. Free to work. Big money  
for you. State time. American Pro-  
ducts Co., 5142 American Bldg., Cin-  
cinnati, O.

SELL SOMETHING EVERYBODY  
must have read this line over again  
and note that we said "EVERYBODY". A pos-  
itive necessity because of government  
ruling "I repeats and repeats and re-  
peats. Exclusively owned and con-  
trolled by us. If you are an order  
take you should make \$50 to \$50 a  
day. If you are an ambitious store-  
man you will clear upward of \$50 per  
day. Most desirable connection with  
future for those who qualify. One am-  
bitious salesman wanted for every  
county in this state, large territories  
to be given. Write to: J. C. Barton &  
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ONLY ONE SALE MEANS \$200 PER  
month. Five sales, \$1,000 monthly.  
Main or side line. Marvelous new  
product. Exclusive territory. \$15.00  
work equals \$350.00 adding machine.  
Add, subtracts, multiplies, divides  
automatically. Speedy, accurate, dur-  
able, handsome. Five year guarantee.  
Nationally advertised. Tremendous de-  
mand. Amazing profits. Write quick  
for liberal list offer and prospectus  
territory. Lightning Calculator Co.,  
Dept. 279, Grand Rapids, Mich.

14,104,804 CATHOLICS WANT TO  
buy the Catholic Art Calendar for  
1923; price 60c. Our price to agents  
20c. Many agents make \$10 to \$25  
per day. Send 20c for sample and in-  
structions. Extension Press, 25 E.  
Lake St., Chicago, Ill.

CLEAN UP NOW TILL CHRISTMAS.  
Wonderful holiday seller. Goes like  
wild. Free. Enormous profits. Write  
quick. Free particulars. Mission Shop,  
4221 Smith, Detroit, Mich.

AUTO ACCESSORY

MORE MONEY WITH THIS LINE  
Exclusive territory, liberal commis-















# THE LIMA NEWS

## Is Northwestern Ohio's Greatest Salesman of ANY PRICED MERCHANDISE

*The advertiser who appeals to the individual alone is short-sighted.*

*The AMERICAN family is the vital buying unit to any merchant,  
irrespective of what he sells.*

The individual's buying is restricted to his own needs — usually to apparel and diversion. It is only as a part of the family that the buying-power of the individual man, woman, boy or girl forms the merchant's mainstay.

For the American family talks things over, usually at supper while all are present. If dad grows complacent regarding his clothes, his women-folks prod him into better appearance. Mother and the

girls at least consider the father's and brother's opinions regarding their next gown or hat—they're a handy delegation of what-men-like. And Sonny's clothes would be much more outspoken if he really bought as he thinks he does.

The individual's slender needs are increased ten-fold, as they are merged in the family's all-inclusive daily requirements for food, furniture, carpets, comforts, conveniences or hygiene, in all of which each "has his say."

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There are families and families. Some newcomers cling to their primitive old-country habits-of-life. They are not influenced by any form of advertising and are immune to experiment. They are "abroad at home" and only develop normal family buying-power as the younger generation absorbs the American idea and insists on American family-standards.

Which are these:

The American family is a one-for-all arrangement that's founded on thrift.

The family must be thrifty to progress and it will not be an AMERICAN family unless this progress is shown by a better home, by more home-comforts, by becoming appearance, by a greater variety of nourishing food, by ambitious parents, sturdy, joyous children and by the newspaper it prefers.

The outstanding value of such a family to the merchant is two-fold: being thrifty it has money to buy; being informed it has minds to decide.

Money-to-buy.

That doesn't mean money-to-waste. PRICE has more appeal to the intelligent, progressive prosperous family than to the penny-grabbing shiftless one. It is only through right-PRICE buying that the family becomes thrifty!

Minds-to-decide:

Decisive minds are well-nourished minds, are minds that are informed concerning the economic-value of advertising in realizing the American family's standard-of-living. Such a family is convinced—by the daily newspaper it uses as a buying medium—that advertising is business-news which much be considered before the day's buying is planned or made.

*The advertiser who appeals to the individual alone is short-sighted.*

*The AMERICAN family is the vital buying unit to any merchant,  
irrespective of what he sells.*

**The Lima News is Northwestern Ohio's Greatest Salesman of ANY PRICED MERCHANDISE, because it is read and believed by MORE AMERICAN FAMILIES than any other district newspaper.**

# The Lima News

AND TIMES-DEMOCRAT—NORTHWESTERN OHIO'S GREATEST DAILY



## LEO PREFERS HIS TO MILLIONS

Message Boy Looks Envy for  
Poor Rich Kids

THEY MISS CHILDHOOD JOY

Playing Hookey, Anomaly to Gold  
Spoon Children

NEW YORK — (Special) —  
What does a boy who works for his  
living think of the little children of  
the rich?

Such was the question asked 14-  
year-old Leo Schliephaak, Messen-  
ger Boy No. 1672.

Leo was given a handful of pic-  
tures to look at—Baby Robert Goe-  
let, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert  
Goelet, called the "hundred-million-  
dollar baby"; young John Jacob As-  
tor, son of the multimillionaire lost  
on the Titanic; Anna Hewitt, \$2-  
million heiress of the late Peter  
Cooper Hewitt; Gloria Caruso, who  
inherited a big share of the famous  
singer's millions; little James Paul  
Donohue, grandson and heir of the  
late F. W. Woolworth; "Bubbles"  
Luckenbach, daughter of Mrs. Ed-  
gar P. Luckenbach, an heiress to  
more than \$1,000,000; Sonia Phipps  
of the wealthy steel family; and  
John R. McLean, eldest son of the  
millionaire Washington publisher.

What Leo thinks about it fol-  
lows:

BY LEO SCHLIEPHAAK  
Messenger Boy No. 1672.

I am 14 years old and rush tel-  
egrams for a living. I never wrote  
a piece for the paper before, but to  
get in good with the editor I told  
him I would write my idea of what  
this picture gallery of rich kids looks  
like to a messenger boy.

A fellow might think rich kids  
have it pretty soft with butlers and  
governesses and palaces and prize  
dogs and a couple of million dollars  
in sight when they're 21. But when  
you think it over you got to admit  
there's a lot of drawbacks to this lap  
of luxury business.

I wasn't born with any golden  
spoon in my mouth like they were.  
But when I use a spoon on my three  
square meals a day I know who paid  
for the spoon—and the food, too.  
That's me—I paid for it. I had to  
quit school when I was 14 to do it.

## HE WOULDN'T TRADE WITH GOLD SPOON KIDS



TOP ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT): JOHN JACOB ASTOR, JAMES PAUL DONOHUE, ANNA HEWITT. MID-  
DLE ROW: GLORIA CARUSO, ROBERT GOELET, JR., JOHN R. McLEAN. BOTTOM ROW: SONIA PHIPPS;  
LEO SCHLIEPHAAK; "BUBBLES" LUCKENBACH.

But I go to night school when I get  
a chance and the work doesn't hurt  
me—except pounding pavements  
keeps me rather thin.

MISS THE JOYS

Baby millionaires like the Astors

and Woolworths and Goelets and  
Carusos maybe never will know any-  
thing about playing hookey or hav-  
ing a good scrap or picking their  
pals without an O. K. from the nurse  
or the tutor.

Maybe when they're 14 they'll be  
wheeling to fashionable schools in  
limousines—when I was getting my  
first job delivering typewriters at  
\$14 a week. Pretty good for an er-  
rand boy, I thought.

When they go for a walk it's with  
a nurse and a couple of pedigreed  
pups. When I go to deliver a tele-  
gram, and if it's a long-distance job,  
I get 1-4 cents for it, and 1-2  
cents for every other message I've  
not in the book.

Say they may have millions in the  
safety deposit vault. But I've got  
\$150 saved up in the bank. And I'll  
bet they never get the chance to  
throw out their chests the way I did  
when I stepped up and deposited my  
first dollar.

My uniform may have a few  
gray spots on it, but it's a lot  
better than wearing velvet pants and  
having a governess stand around  
with a whiskbroom in her hand say-  
ing "Naughty! Naughty!"

ENVY OCCASIONAL  
I guess I envy the rich kids once  
in a while—but not when I think  
about it. Why, those kids even will  
have their reading matter picked out  
for them. I read what I want. His-  
tory and the lives of Roosevelt and  
Lincoln are pretty good, and I put  
my nose in the dictionary whenever  
I can. This stuff about messenger  
boys reading dime novels is bunk;  
I never read one.

Messenger boys don't all smoke  
cigarettes and shoot crap, either. I  
don't. If a kid isn't rich he can play  
marbles and things like that. I guess  
some rich kids think marbles are  
something they decorate hotel lob-  
bies with.

Probably I wouldn't know how  
to act in front of a butler, but I  
meet lots of bigger men than but-  
lers. And when I tell them to sign  
on the dotted line they do it—for a  
telegram, I mean.

Kids with a million dollars are all  
right—but I guess they haven't got  
everything.

## WINTER DRIVE AGAINST DIPHTHERIA IS STARTED

COLUMBUS — The state health  
department has started its annual  
winter drive on diphtheria and  
scarlet fever.

Spread of diphtheria in the north  
and east parts of the state, and of  
scarlet fever in these parts and a  
western belt has resulted in the  
sending out of warnings that every  
means must be taken to prevent  
epidemics.

There were 1,618 cases of dipht-  
heria in November, according to re-  
ports to the health department and  
1,212 scarlet fever cases. In Cleve-  
land alone there were 314 cases of  
diphtheria and 227 of scarlet fever.

## SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. DeVoe, R. F. D. No.  
7, Lima, announce the birth of a son  
at St. Rita's hospital.

## ASKS \$20,000 FOR UNWANTED LISP



Twenty thousand dollars for a  
lisp! Many girls would give it, but  
Clara Mackin, formerly leading lady  
with Leo Ditrachstein, is suing for  
\$20,000, because, she says, she had  
one wished on her. Her suit is  
against Eugene Vigneron, Chicago  
dentist, whose work on her teeth,  
she claims, caused her stam to tal-  
talk.

## WORKER AWARDED \$41,000 FOR LOSS OF ONE HAND

CHICAGO — Clinton F. Ander-  
son who lost a hand by accident  
while a brakeman for the Pere Mar-  
quette railroad was awarded a jury  
verdict of \$41,000 yesterday. He is  
the father of eleven children.

## MOTHER SOUGHT BY STOWAWAY

Turned Away From America  
Fourth Successive Time

"I WILL COME AGAIN"

Youth Determined to Find Lost  
Family

(BY BOB DORMAN)

NEW YORK — (Special) — "I  
shall come again and again to Amer-  
ica until I have satisfied myself my  
mother is not here!"

That's the pronouncement of Oscar  
Bigall, world's champion stowaway.  
For the fourth time within a year  
this tow-headed, square-jawed Ger-  
man youth with his honest blue eyes  
and tanned face, is detained by im-  
migration officials at Ellis Island.

For the fourth time immigration  
officials are knitting their brows in  
an effort to decide what to do with  
the youth. For if they deport him as  
the law demands, they know he'll  
come back again in the same way—  
hidden away in the hold of a liner.

SEEKS HIS KIN  
Oscar wants to enter the United  
States because he's sure his mother,  
Frieda Bigall, wife of Johann Bigall,  
formerly of Bur Eggen, Westphalia,  
is here and he wants to find her.

The youth last saw his mother in  
1914 when he marched off to the  
World War as a German soldier. He  
was 18 then.

But he could not find her! She and  
the whole Bigall family had been lost  
in the turmoil that accompanied Ger-  
many's surrender and transforma-  
tion into a republic.

Oscar recalled his father's often  
expressed wish to go to America.  
Thither, Oscar decided, his family  
had gone.

Unable to pay his passage to the  
New World, Oscar stowed himself  
away on a ship at Hamburg. He  
reached the land of his dreams only  
to be detained and deported.

The same thing took place two  
more times. Now Oscar is here on  
his fourth trip.

"I don't blame the immigration  
authorities for doing their duty un-  
der the law," the German youth says.  
"But my mother is all the world to  
me. I must find her and I'll come  
back and back again until I do!"

# ROWLANDS

NORTHWEST CORNER SQUARE

Let The Christmas  
Bells Ring Out

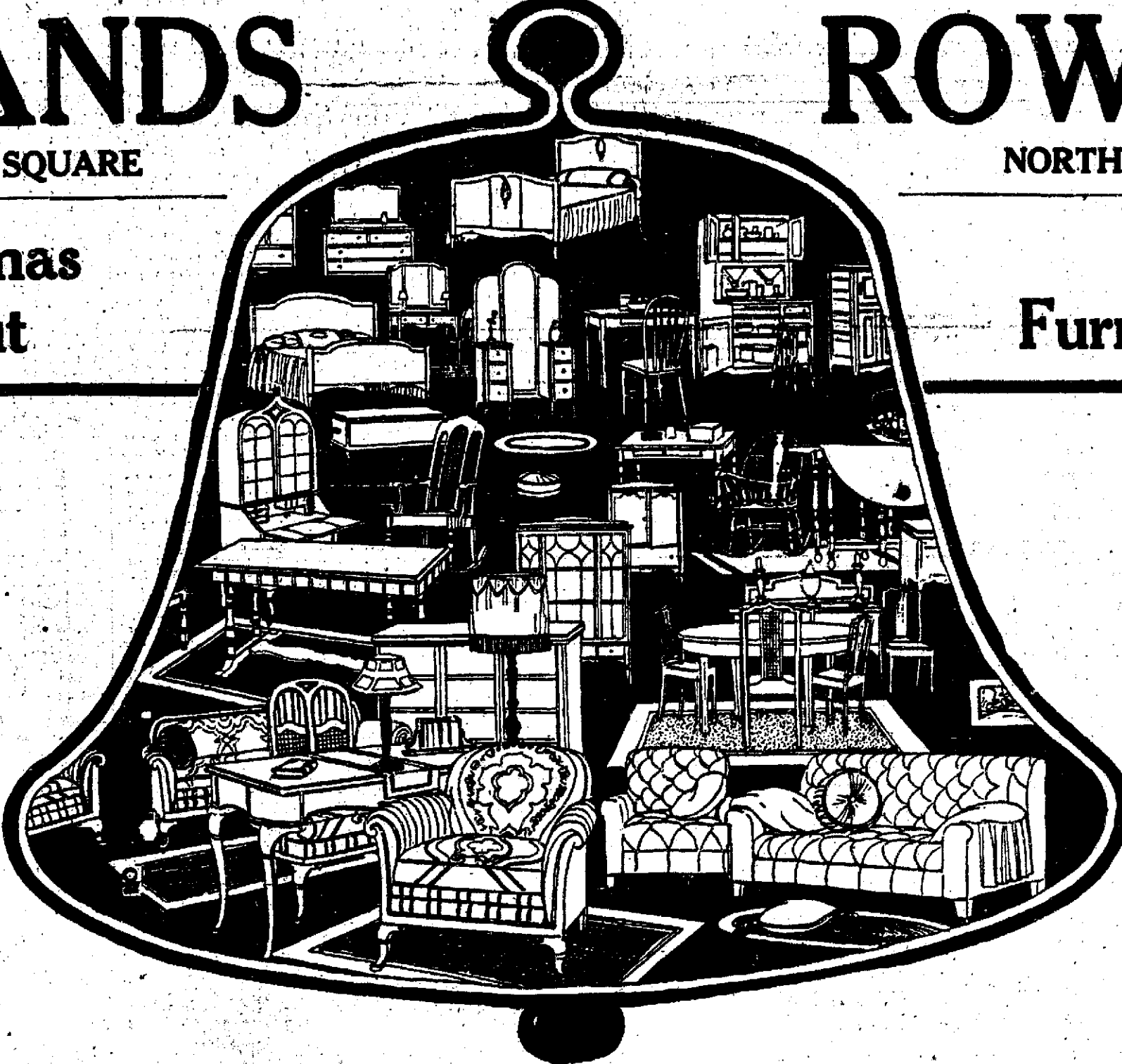
# ROWLANDS

NORTHWEST CORNER SQUARE

Make This a  
Furniture Christmas

## For the Grown-Ups

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Spinnet Decks         | Smoking Stands        |
| Victrolas and Records |                       |
| Electric Washers      | Book Cases            |
| Telephone Stands      |                       |
| Library Tables        | Rockers               |
| Davenport Tables      | Pictures              |
| Hoover Sweepers       | Dining Room Furniture |
| Parlor Suites         | Tea Wagons            |
| Bedroom Furniture     |                       |
| Davenport             | Cedar Chests          |
| Kitchen Cabinets      | Lamps                 |
| Electric Irons        | Jardiniere Stands     |
| Gate-Leg Tables       | Foot Stools           |
| Etc., Etc.            |                       |



## For the Kiddies

- |             |                 |             |
|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Dolls       | Railroad Trains | Doll Chairs |
| Kiddie Cars | Doll Buggies    | Decks       |
| High Chairs | Kiddie Rockers  | Dishes      |
| Teddy Bears | Telephones      | Drums       |
|             |                 | Wagons      |

## Shop Here

BECAUSE:

Prompt Delivery at Time Wanted—  
We Will Gladly Lay Aside Any  
Purchase Until Wanted

# Gift Suggestions for All the Family

FURNITURE is the one gift that brings happiness to the entire family. No other gift you can select will more truly carry the glad spirit of Christmas. Our whole store is now one vast gift shop—brimful of helpful suggestions. Suitable gifts for every member of the family will be found here now in the greatest variety and moderately priced. It is really surprising what a fine gift just a small expenditure will secure when invested in furniture. Come in and make your selection. Let this be a furniture Christmas!

YOUR CREDIT  
IS GOOD

# ROWLANDS

NORTHWEST  
CORNER SQUARE



# MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS—NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWN

## FORT RECOVERY

Mrs. W. E. Clarkson and son Elmer of near Greenville were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bertha Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scheld and son of Lima attended the funeral of Ed. Lok Saturday and remained until Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenleaf left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter Mrs. Isaac Pyle of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gebels and sons of Dayton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Florence Miller.

G. A. Reuter received notice Monday of the death of Dr. Leeper of Cleveland former pastor of the Congregational church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrick of Hattwell were guests this week of Miss Ida Mary Hedrick.

A reunion of the Hastings family was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Ella Ralph. The following were in attendance: Mr. and Mrs. F. Hastings and daughter Mayme, Mrs. J. Hastings and daughter Ella and Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowe and daughter Estella, Mr. and Mrs. John Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Betzel and daughter Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Egan, Mrs. Ed. Egan and daughter Miss Florence Ralph, and Mrs. Ralph's daughter Mrs. Glenn Thornton, of Aurora, Mo.

Mrs. C. J. Turckes of Ashland, Neb. was recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stammer.

Mrs. Kate Schaefer of Columbus is visiting her mother, Mrs. Agnes Meisner.

Mr. Frank Speck of Portland spent Thanksgiving with her mother Mrs. Elmina Isenhardt.

Mrs. Edith Parks of Williamsburg was here Saturday on a visit of inspection to the Harrod-McDaniel Woman's Relief No. 238. After the business session held at the Armory a social hour was held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Harrod. Lunch was served at 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Hefner and son Harold Lyle of Lima were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hefner and son Carl.

Mrs. Carl Heath was in Lima shopping Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hellman and family were Lima shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stevenson and son William were in Lima shopping Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hefner and son Carl were shoppers in Lima Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fetter and son John and daughter Helen spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Gibson of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bassitt and daughters Florence and Donna were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bassitt and family of Lima.

Fred Hefner who is working in Lima spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hefner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ritchie and daughter Wanda of Lima spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Laing and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hellman and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Sprinkle of Harrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fetter and son John and daughter Helen were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Blanche Tidd of the Marion-Rd.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stevenson and son William were callers in the evening Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Park and wife of Westminster.

C. W. Laing and Alva Bassitt were Lima shoppers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hefner and son Carl attended the evangelistic meeting in Lima Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary McClure spent the forepart of the week with her sister Mrs. Howard Nielson and family of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hefner spent Friday in Lima with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hefner, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Witt are the parents of a son born Saturday.

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## BLUFFTON

The tenth Messiah Concert will be held Sunday evening in the College Gymnasium.

The annual Mid-Winter Fair will be held here on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 20-22.

Miss Katheryn Spotts, high school instructor, left Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving at her home in Lewisburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sumney will leave first of next week for Fort Wayne, where they will reside.

Max Miller spent Sunday in Van Wert with his parents, Richard Miller and family.

Ernest Huber, 68, for many years a well known Bluffton man living at Clyde, Ohio, died suddenly at that place Saturday evening.

Miss Hazel and Marcello Felt spent the last of the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Huber.

Rev. E. J. Penhollow, pastor of the Church of Christ here, has received nomination to accept the pastorate of the Church of Christ at Tiffin. He expects to move with his family January 1.

Clarence Bracy, who is employed at Toledo, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fulton of Lorain, spent the last of the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hochstetler of South Main-st.

Paul Hochstetler, superintendent of the school at Wayland, Ind., spent the week-end with his family here.

Miss Mamie Burns of Milan, Miss Erma Stearns of Upper Sandusky, and Otto Stearns of Findlay spent Thanksgiving day at the George Stearns home.

Miss Jennie Heck of Toledo, is visiting her parents in this place.

Miss Lillian Deophar was hostess to the Wagon Club Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gerding died Sunday and was buried Wednesday morning.

Misses Lillian and Elizabeth Deophar are spending the week-end in Lima.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Motter, daughter Leone, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrold, daughter Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wallace, sons Richard and Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hays, son Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Lillian, daughter Lou, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ross, daughter Miss Hattie Wilkins and daughter Miss Hattie Wilkins and daughter Miss Hattie Wilkins.

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## JACKSON CENTER

Wayne Hahn will move to a truck farm near St. Louis in the near future.

Ward Bear and son Sailor were in Sidney as visitors, Monday.

G. R. Sadler and family of Lima, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sadler, Sunday.

Ralph Fry and family of Roundhead were the guests of Walter Leininger and family, Sunday.

Virgil Buchanan, wife and son, Donald, of Lima, were the guests of M. V. Smith and family, Sunday.

Lloyd Leininger spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Leininger, near Lakewood.

Mrs. Shelby Baughman died at her home here early Tuesday morning after an illness of several months.

Mr. Kenneth and Miss Flossie Kelt will entertain the W. F. M. at the home of Mrs. Klenzner on Thursday afternoon, December 7.

Mrs. Emma Briggs and Mrs. Grever Watkins were week-end guests of Mrs. Cora Smith of Bloom Center.

Mrs. Howard Knief of Bloom Center is assistant manager at the Jackson center lumber yards during the illness of her father, W. H. Vanlor.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rex and Charles Folk and family of DeGraff and Rev. and Mrs. Cress and little granddaughter Betty Huston, took dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Cress.

Miss Blanche Heints visited this week in Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. family spent Sunday with their parents, J. P. Glick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Jordan are the parents of a boy who arrived Nov. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watkins called on Ray Kreisher's Sunday.

Mrs. George Hunsicker and daughter Alice left for Chillicothe Sunday for a week's visit.

Mrs. G. O. Sellers and Mrs. A. C. Stuber were shopping at Lima last Sunday.

Dr. Evans entertained Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bish of Ada, F. G. Hursh and wife and daughter Eva of Orville and George DeLaware on Thanksgiving.

Miss Dickerson, one of the high school teachers here will spend Thanksgiving with her parents in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crowe have a 7 ft. Riga, Mich., to visit with friends for a week.

J. H. Furning and family spent Thanksgiving in Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Chambers spent Sunday in Marion with the former's sister.

Rolland Bowers who attends high school at Lima spent the week-end with his parents.

Lyman Brattestadt of Ada is spending his vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leatherman and daughter, motored to Marion where they spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Leatherman's parents.

Miss Mable Guy, student nurse at the Lima Hospital spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gray of New Hampshire spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Harrod.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stubbs spent the week-end in Lima at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nichols.

Robert Hay, teacher in the Elida school, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hay.

Miss Ellen Ditzler is spending a few days with friends in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rabler, of daughter of Marion, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rambo.

Rev. Struck, pastor of the Harrod Methodist church, is holding special meetings at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rambo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyre and Mrs. Chas. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Sprinkle and Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Leath, Mr. and Mrs. C. Craig of Bath Township, and Mr. and Mrs. William Binkley.

Fred Guy of Cleveland is spending several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patterson, motored to Lima Thursday, where they spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Clum.

Mr. and Mrs. Granger and children of Columbus Grove, spent the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oia Hyre.

Mr. Mary De Long spent the past week visiting with her sons near Wapakoneta.

Miss Sophia Reoss entertained at her home Saturday evening the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Graham of Lima, Miss Anna Baldwin and J. C. Reichelderfer.

Mrs. Amanda Beeler and sister Mrs. Albert Sellers were the week-end guests at the home of her sister Mrs. F. B. Bitt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Speece and grand son Junior Peters and Mrs. I. J. Fisher motored to Fostoria Sunday and were the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peters.

Miss Hannah Collins of Van Wert is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah De Long.

Miss Marion Stepien was the week-end guest of Miss Nell Henry of Spencerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowsher entertained Sunday at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laver and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Arthur and daughter June, Mr. and Mrs. Louell Helmer and daughters Joe Ann, Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Egan of Lima, spent Thanksgiving day at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Helmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McClintock of Wapakoneta were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hattie Copeland, daughter Elizabeth Jane, motored to Columbus and spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Alva Copeland.

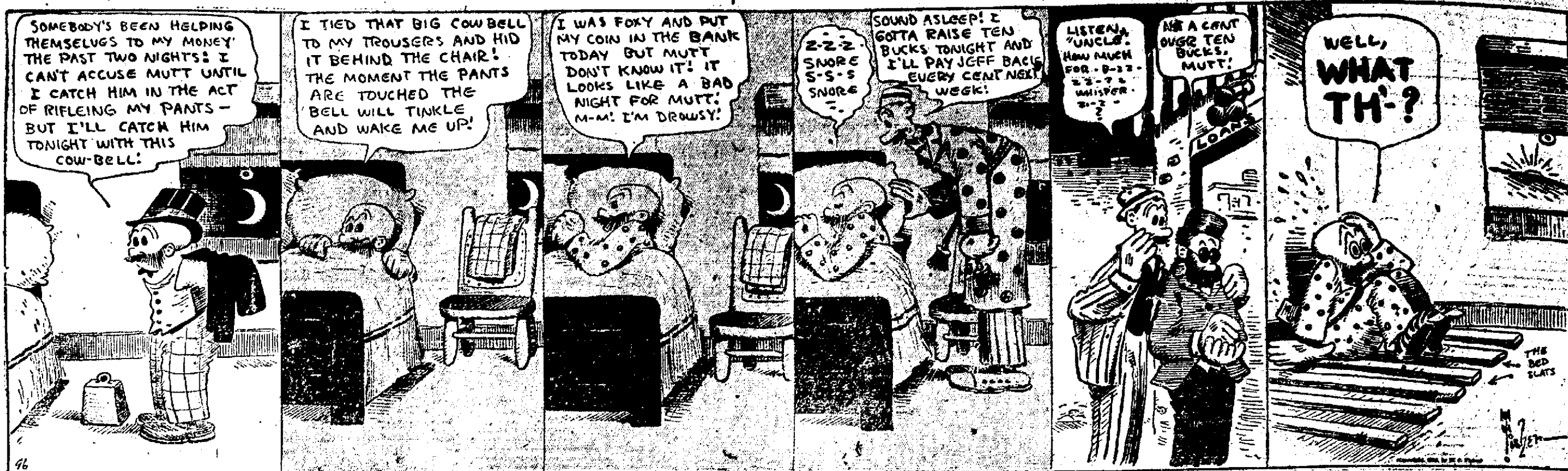
Mrs. Charles Snyder spent Monday at Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Crites and children Zelpha, Mrs. Arley Reichelderfer and son Elton attended the funeral of Mrs. Jacob King of









BRINGING UP FATHER—



SHORT SHAVINGS

Earl Berry records the experience of a girl whose partner dances on her feet as well as on his own.

Policeman Webb Harrison sat down in a chair in the lounge room at headquarters in the safety building.

John Summers, merchant tailor, exhibited samples to a young man who called to have a suit made to order.

William Roeder, Lima R. D. 8, reserves the right to doubt stories that are told to him when he believes there is reason for suspicion.

IN THE AIR SUNDAY STATION KOKA

360 Meters, Pittsburgh. 9:45 a. m. Services of the East End Christian church.

STATION WGY

400 Meters, Schenectady. 9:30 a. m. Services of the United Presbyterian church.

STATION KYW

400 Meters, Chicago. 2:30 p. m. Radio chapel conducted by Rev. Van Ogden Vogt, pastor of the Wellington Congregational church.

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# When Royalty Threw a Kiss to "That Bewitching American Girl"

*If Italy Was Amazed  
When the Bachelor  
Duke Broke All  
Precedent, What  
Was the Sensation When He  
Followed the Lovely "Deb"  
Over Here?*

The Duke of Spoleto,  
Son of the Duke of  
Aosta, Known as Italy's  
Most Fascinating Young  
Bachelor.

A Charming  
Beach  
Snapshot  
of Miss  
Aileen  
Flannery,  
Who Is  
Considered  
One of the  
Prize Buds  
of the  
Fashionable  
"400."



Miss  
Dorothy  
C. Taylor,  
Formerly the Wife of Major Claude  
Graham-White, at Whose  
Venetian Home the Duke Met  
Miss Flannery.

A GREAT ocean liner just swinging  
from her Mediterranean pier, on  
route for America.

On the deck a fluttering of handker-  
chiefs and waving of farewells.

On its very edge, standing out from the  
crowd like a hero in light opera, a mag-  
nificent young man in the splendid uni-  
form of the Italian naval air force.

He is waving his cap madly—gesticulat-  
ing—throwing kisses—shouting "A river-  
derel!"

He is the object of all eyes. Everyone  
knows who he is. But what is he doing?  
They wonder.

The excited young man throwing kisses  
and otherwise making himself conspicuous  
is the Duke of Spoleto, son of the Duke of  
Aosta, cousin of the King and Queen.

"There must be royalty aboard," whis-  
pered the crowd. But there wasn't any  
royalty aboard. And even if there had  
been, the spectacle would have been sur-  
prising, for it isn't common in Italy for  
royalty to make such violent public dem-  
onstrations of affection even to a member  
of royalty's own family.

The recipient of the Duke's ardent fare-  
wells was a simple, untitled American  
girl—Miss Aileen Flannery, of New York.

The episode was so spectacular that the  
captain of the vessel was asked what it  
was all about.

"Never in all my experience as a naviga-  
tor," he said, "have I seen a royal per-  
sonage at the dock waving bon voyage to a  
departing visitor of non-royal rank."  
But he tactfully added, "Never have I  
seen aboard my ship such a beautiful girl  
as Miss Flannery."

The girl the captain described in such

superlative terms was one of the prize  
buds of the New York "400"—daughter  
of Mrs. Eli Nadelman and step-daughter  
of Eli Nadelman, the distinguished Polish  
sculptor. She was going home after a  
Summer of social triumphs in Italy, dur-  
ing which Spoleto had been her constant  
admirer. An Italian society paper had de-  
voted a page to her under the caption,  
"That Bewitching Yankee Girl."

Later the Duke of Spoleto came to  
America, en route for the Orient, and  
whatever time he could steal from formal  
functions during his limited stay was spent  
in the charming company of the beautiful  
Aileen.

Everyone talked of his devotion, but  
no engagement was announced. And now  
the Duke is off for an extended sojourn  
in the land of pagodas and cherry blos-  
soms, while Miss Aileen Flannery, ap-  
parently quite happy and immersed in the  
gaiety of the early Winter social season,  
goes about smiling like a mysterious  
young Sphinx.

Meanwhile the whole of America's up-  
per crust, the fashionable salons of Eu-  
rope, and even certain ones high up in  
diplomatic circles, are gossiping among  
themselves and asking:

What will be the result of the atten-  
tions to a simple American "Miss" of this  
royal Duke, whose family traditions and  
obligations all require that he shall ally  
himself only with some princess of equal  
royal blood?

Can these attentions possibly result in  
an engagement and marriage?

Or will this be another story like the  
famous "unfinished romance" between  
beautiful Katherine Elkins (now Mrs.  
William Hitt) and the royal Italian Duke  
of the Abruzzi?

On the other hand, has Miss Flannery  
taken seriously the attentions of the hand-  
some young Italian Duke?

Nobody knows even that.

Would she consent to marry him if he  
did make a formal declaration and his  
royal uncle gave the consent of the Italian  
throne?

Or was their interest, which set inter-  
national gossip buzzing merely a mutu-  
ally understood charming friendship, a  
delightful and harmless flirtation and  
nothing more?

Or is it a tragic romance in which the  
same powerful influences from the royal  
palace of Rome which blighted the Elkins-

Abruzzi match, are  
now working to pre-  
vent a marriage  
which would be con-  
trary to precedent  
and tradition?

The former story  
presents certain  
memorable parallels.  
Katherine Elkins,  
daughter of the late  
Senator Elkins, of  
West Virginia, heir-  
ess, beauty and belle  
of Washington soci-  
ety, so dazzled the  
Duke of the Abruzzi  
that it was popularly believed she broke  
his royal heart.

It was a case of mad love the moment  
the Duke, an explorer with a record of  
daring and bravery as thrilling as any  
moving picture hero, beheld the American  
heiress at a dance in Washington. He  
went back to Italy, only to return incog-  
nito to press his suit.

Italy's royal family objected to the  
match, but so did Katherine's father, who  
had been Secretary of War in Harrison's  
Administration.

Two continents discussed the romantic  
thwarted love affair, and finally the rich  
young "Billy" Hitt, ever faithful adorer,  
persuaded Miss Elkins, who had perhaps  
dreamed of wearing a duchess' coronet, to  
become Mrs. William Hitt instead. Later  
she divorced him quietly and without scan-  
dal, in Paris, for incompatibility.

The Duke of Spoleto may be nursing a  
broken heart in the Orient, but certainly  
Miss Aileen Flannery, vivacious, popular  
and beautiful, is giving no one here the  
slightest right to suspect that she is suffer-  
ing from a blighted love.

She has been a prime favorite and  
leader in the younger social set ever since  
her debut two years ago. She is thor-  
oughly American by birth, but of an ex-  
traordinary, elfish, "gyppy" beauty. Warm,  
vibrant, with fluffy dark hair and deep  
blue eyes, she intrigues all who see her.

After triumphs in New York and at  
Palm Beach, where international society,  
including the Prince de Bourbon and  
other titled foreign gentlemen, admired  
her charm and beauty, Aileen went to  
spend the Summer in Italy with her Amer-  
ican grandmother, who was, by marriage,  
the Countess Nazelli.

Two months of her time were spent in  
a villa on the Lido, that marvelous cres-  
cent-shaped beach on the blue Adriatic  
Sea, just across the lagoon from Venice—

one of the most beautiful and romantic  
spots in the world.

It was on this beach that Byron walked  
as a boy, and which he described in some  
of his most remarkable poetry; it was here  
that the great modern poet, D'Annunzio,  
courted and loved the famous Duse, and  
here took place many of the episodes  
which inspired "The Flame," the novel in  
which he described that impassioned and  
beautiful relationship; and on the Lido,  
now a popular society watering  
place, many recent international  
courtships have had their incep-  
tion.

In this beautiful spot, just ten  
minutes' boat ride from the Grand  
Canal of Venice and within actual  
sight of its palaces and towers,  
Aileen met the young Duke of  
Spoleto, who was the guest of Dor-  
othy Taylor, the former Mrs.  
Claude Graham-White.

Aileen was very popular, and re-  
peated the successes of her former  
sojourns at Palm Beach.  
Everyone loved and ad-  
mired the vivacious little  
American, who swam  
and danced divinely, and  
who was in demand for  
every social gathering.

She was the most beau-  
tiful girl on the beach  
that Summer. The Duke  
of Spoleto, handsome of  
feature, fully six feet  
tall in a country where  
most men are of consid-  
erably lesser height, was  
Italy's most fascinating  
young bachelor. A great  
sportsman, a flyer in the  
Air Force during the  
war, he was one of the  
most popular young  
noblemen of Italy.

It was natural that

the Italian Duke  
should be fascinat-  
ed by Aileen's  
beauty. It was  
natural that she should  
find him charming. They  
were attractive and young.  
It was Venice and vaca-  
tion time.

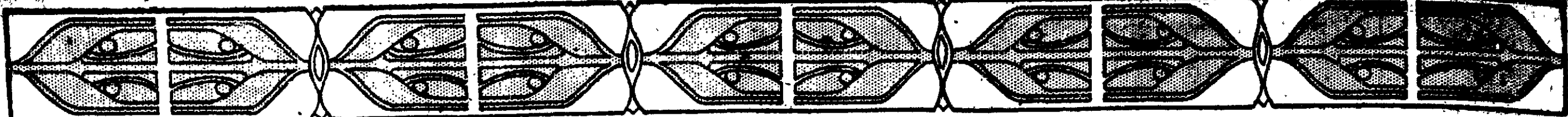
Then the rumor grew  
that the Duke was serious.  
Immediately the gossip began to recall  
the Elkins-Abruzzi affair. If the royal  
young Italian and the American debu-  
tante were really serious, what would  
the outcome be? Would the King permit?

The season ended. Aileen came home.  
The Duke saw her off at the pier in the  
manner described in the opening of this  
story. She had scarcely arrived in Amer-  
ican when a ship bearing the royal Duke  
also docked in port.

It was announced that he was en route  
for the Orient—and thence he subse-  
quently went—but during an interim he re-  
newed his marked attentions to Miss Flannery.  
The gossip was revived. After  
spending as much time as he could in Miss  
Flannery's company, Spoleto crossed to  
San Francisco and took boat for the Ori-  
ent. He made no public declaration.  
What he said to Miss Flannery, only she  
knows.

And Miss Flannery, when questioned by  
her friends, smiling inscrutably, says she  
is a happy "bachelor maid"—and that she  
intends to remain one—at least for the  
immediate future.





# Science Finds the Key to Evolution in the Finger Tip

*Our Hands Are More Important Than Brains, Declare the Anatomists; and Here Are Notable Examples of What May Happen If Even One Finger Joint, Or the Tip of a Toe, Is Lost*

Ignace Jan Paderewski, the Great Genius of the Pianoforte, to Whom the Loss of a Finger Tip Would Be An Even Greater Tragedy Than a Similar Misfortune Would Be to Tennis Champion Tilden.

The Right Hand and Forearm of William T. Tilden, the Tennis Marvel. Note the Tip of Middle Finger, the Loss of Which May Cost Him a World Championship.

ated by nature." But you are wrong. The eye is more complicated and more delicately functioned, but it is anything but a perfect instrument—not nearly so efficient as the hand for its respective purposes.

The eye gets "out of order" easily, is easily hurt or destroyed; it dims and "wears out" with old age; in many cases it is defective from birth or early youth (consider the number of people who have to wear glasses), and even when normal and at its best it focuses slowly and works inefficiently. It doesn't even tell you the truth about the things it sees. Everyone is familiar with "optical illusions" and "distorted images." Everyone knows that "the hand is quicker than the eye." If the eye were perfect there wouldn't be any such thing as motion pictures. All you would see, if you looked at one, would be a success of "still" images, separated on the screen by blank white flashes. Humboldt, the great scientist, once said: "The human eye has every fault and imperfection known to optical instruments—and a few in addition which are peculiar only to itself."

This essential imperfection, in greater or less degree, is true of all the organs of the human body—except the hand. The hand is nature's final triumph, up

to this point, in the history of evolution. Many evolutionists believe it has had as much to do as the brain itself with making man superior to all other animals.

For picking up and holding anything, from the tiniest hair to the thickest bludgeon; for handling instruments of the greatest delicacy and tools or weapons of weight and power; for striking, seizing, grabbing, choking, mauling and tearing it is magnificently adapted; yet its touch can be gentle, soft and soothing at will.

The finger-tips themselves are marvelously endowed with the sense of touch, much more so than other parts of the body. Draw your knuckle or elbow across

This Photograph of the Left Hand of Jacob Schaefer, Famous Billiardist, Who Attained the Championship of the World, Indicates the Importance to Him of Even the Tip of the Little Finger of His Left Hand.

The Well-Developed Fingers and Thumb of Gabong, An Ape, Which Enable Him to Handle Mechanical Tools Like a Human Being.

IN the construction of the human hand—particularly the finger-tips—science believes it has the key to man's rise over all the other animals and his material conquest of the earth.

Monkeys and apes are the only other living creatures which have anything which even roughly corresponds to the human hand—and the chief difference between the paw of a monkey and the hand of a man is that in the latter the fingers are much longer and more highly developed.

Man, because of his longer and better developed finger-tips, can make and handle tools, weapons, machines, typewriters, scientific appliances, musical instruments—the thousand and one appurtenances of modern civilization in the use of which a creature without hands would be almost totally helpless.

Science now declares that the evolutionary development of the human brain alone could have accomplished nothing toward this progress if the hand had not developed with it—and that the superiority of the human "machine" over all other evolved types is even more marked in the hand than in the brain.

The brain, after all, is still imperfect. But the hand, according to anatomists, is "the most perfect mechanical instrument ever produced by nature or devised by the ingenuity of man."

This fact has been startlingly brought to public attention by the misfortune of William T. Tilden, the tennis champion. As the result of a slight injury, the surgeons say that he must lose the tip of his right-hand middle finger—and with it he may lose the world championship.

William T. Tilden in One of His Championship Matches Against Gerald Patterson of Australia.

How the mere loss of one finger-tip, less than an inch in length, can be of such tremendous importance, is scientifically explained.

The very perfection of the hand, in a case like that of Tilden's, is the cause of the possible disaster when even a small part of the "perfect mechanism" is removed or rendered useless. The co-ordination and balance of the parts are so absolute that to lose one piece may result in a vital impairment of the entire machine.

Perhaps you have never stopped to look at your own hand and consider its extraordinary mechanism. Maybe you were surprised at the quoted statement of the anatomists that it was the "most perfect instrument," the most perfect organ of the human body.

You may doubt the statement. You may say, "The eye, for instance, is a much more marvelous and perfect organ cre-

Bones of the Human Right Hand Regarded by Anatomists As "the most perfect mechanical instrument ever produced by nature."

the surface of a desk or table cloth. Then move your finger over the same surface. You are amazed to discover how more the second operation "you of the quality and natural characteristics of the thing have touched."

The fingers are endowed with muscles and sinews and tendons of amazing strength, compared to their size, but also with nerves of the most tender sensibility. Of the worst tortures the finger could devise was squeezing the finger-tips in a box or then compare the best of with your own hand. There one that can vie with it for mechanical adaptability and efficiency.

The mishap which has befallen Tilden's hand would be slight and almost negligible in importance to many other musicians or a great singer or a lawyer or statesman. Their career and fame and efficiency would go on as before.

On the other hand, there are equally famous people for whom the loss of a finger-tip would be a misfortune and only to death itself—for it means the end of career and skill and fame and fortune.

If it happened to Paderewski, the genius of the pianoforte, it would mean even greater tragedy than that which may mean to Tilden.

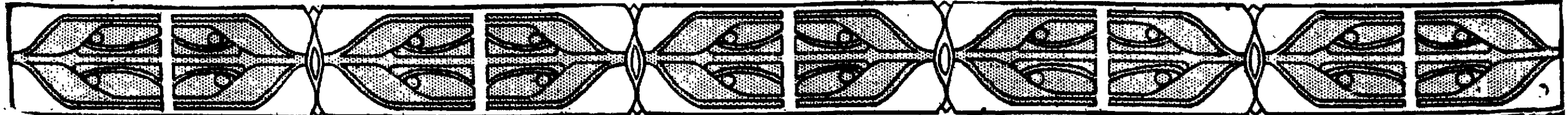
He could still compose, and he even still be able to play the piano fully after a fashion, but he would no longer be Paderewski, no longer the genius of the ivory keys whose playing has thrilled concert audiences from Petrograd to San Francisco. Supreme "touch" which is an essential of his genius would be gone.

The thing would be true of any pianist. In the case of a violinist, say, stance, Kreisler, if the accident happened to a finger of the left hand, the touch would be complete. His career would be irrevocably ruined.

To a ballet dancer, quite opposite loss of one finger-tip would mean not at all, though the loss of the joint toe might mean the end of her career. In the case of athletics and the like, with the hand, the loss of a fin would mean the same problem. The front Tilden Babe Ruth might pound out as many home runs as past, for batting is a thing that requires combined with keenness of eye and ordination of the muscles. On the hand, the average pitcher would find self in great difficulties if he lost a of a right-hand finger, though there are exceptions to all rules, and the Brown, famous two-armed pitcher Chicago, actually pitched in world championship games. Jacob Schaefer, the world's title at billiards, find some of his finest shots impossible if he suffered an injury similar to Tilden.

Supposing you lost the tip of a. Nine chances out of ten, save for inconvenience and embarrassment, would not make the slightest difference your present or future.

Yet there are many people—musicians "stars" whose fame is based on what they do superlatively with their hands—whose fame hangs on a single finger-tip, just fame of Tilden and next year's world championship are hanging now.





Some of the Artistically Proportioned Bronze Elephants Now in the Collection of Commissioner Larkin in Boston. Several of These Statuettes Are Declared to Have Been Made More Than Two Centuries Ago.

# The Mystery of Kuan Yin, the Ceylon Goddess of Mercy

WHO will solve the mystery of the "Goddess of Mercy" whose great, white statue, unearthed after six centuries in a ruined Buddhist temple on the faraway island of Ceylon, has been brought to America, where it is exciting scientists and scholars as no art find in years?

The statue, exquisitely carved in translucent marble, now stands in the reception room of a Boston business house, while its owner, Peter C. Larkin, the Canadian tea magnate and High Commissioner for Canada to the United Kingdom, calls on the savants of the world to tell him its history.

They have identified the idol as Kuan Yin, (Goddess of Mercy), but exactly what she typified, who carved her, who

worshipped her, and why this single statue should be found only on an island off the coast of India—these are the baffling questions.

Is it possible she was not a Buddhist deity at all, but the Juno of a forgotten race?

Was she created by Caucasian or Oriental? Did the Ceylonese originate her, or was she placed in the prow of some war canoe paddled by warriors exploring the Indian ocean in a long ago era?

Investigators are moved by more than idle curiosity in considering these possibilities, for the strange white statue of Kuan Yin is without precedent in researches of Oriental religion and mythology.

She stands upon a marble base—half deity, half woman—with her sweeping robes, her twined girdles, her inscrutable face crowned with a diadem, and with her right hand raised in an attitude of benediction.

No Praxiteles could have been more skilful in the modeling of her downcast eyes and tapering fingernails. Yet, though the execution of the statue has a western artistry, the entire conception is oriental.

At Left, a Statue of Kung Fu Tze, Found in Northern China, and At Right, a Sixth Century Idol from the Larkin Collection.



At Right, An Ancient Buddha Statue Found in a Temple of Lo Yang, Honan Province, Guarded On Either Side By a Rare Cloissoné Dog.



## Archeologists Puzzled Over the Origin of a Translucent Marble Statue, Half Deity, Half Woman, Just Unearthed from the Ruins of an Ancient Buddhist Temple



Hon. Peter C. Larkin, High Commissioner for Canada.

Janet Velie At the Boston Shrine of the Mysterious Marble Statue of Kuan Yin.

Kuan Yin might serve as the standard for the Oriental's idea of feminine beauty.

Neither the Koran nor any other book of Buddhist lore, say the authorities, contains any mention of a Goddess of Mercy. Such a goddess, in fact—a benevolent, kindly feminine spirit bending over the earth—is foreign to most Oriental philosophy.

Yet there is no mistaking the statue's attitude, its meaning. The nearest approach to a complete identification of Kuan Yin is the description, on a yellow Chinese parchment, of a supreme woman being who was presumed to rule over a mythical country known as "Sukhavi," or "The Paradise of Amitabha." She was merciful, protective, beatific.

But the principal seat of worship of the queen of Sukhavi was the little island of Puto. And Puto is situated off the northern coast of China, thousands of miles away from Ceylon.

What great adventure, what pilgrimage, what untraced trail of history, brought Sukhavi's queen to Ceylon—If, indeed, she and Kuan Yin are one and the same goddess?

Not the least interesting phase of the mystery of Kuan Yin is that she should have been

discovered through the agency of a man who is more of a captain of industry than he is a scientist, though for years the collection of quaint, rare art objects has been his hobby.

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Bronze Elephant in the Larkin Collection, Inlaid With Precious Stones.

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Many of these art objects are Eastern idols, for Mr. Larkin, himself making dozens of trips to the Orient in pursuit of the tea business, became deeply interested in the mysticism of Oriental religions.

Among the soft, thick Chinese rugs, on the teakwood cabinets, beneath the rare tapestries are Buddhas and lesser gods and goddesses brought to America from shrines in China, India, the Malaysian islands, Africa, Japan and many other distant lands.

Here is the Lo-Yang Buddha, serving as a background for the entrance hall to the home of tea. Carved in some hard wood that preserves colors of great softness, he sits on a high pedestal, guarded on either side by seven-foot cloisonné dogs. The three figures are set against a gold and silver tapestry, woven with dragons and other terrifying objects.

Here, on a mahogany stand, is the great face of a Buddha from the Temple of Pe-Chy in Northern China. It is made of valuable jade, a relic of fifth century Chinese art. Nearby are bronze urns, and vases embellished with spikes of narcissus blossoms and quaint Chinese figures.

Here the Goddess of Mercy recently was brought, to overtop even the Buddhas and serve, not so much as an ornament, but as a magnet that has drawn savants and students to the Boston warehouse from great universities in many states.

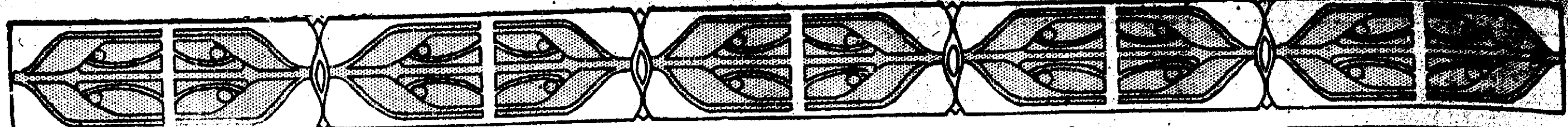
Kuan Yin was found in a ruined temple in one of the remote parts of the island. She was tethered on her side in a mossy cave in the temple's depths, green with mould where the steady drip-drip of water had washed her for hundreds of years.

The white men, agents of Mr. Larkin, who came upon her, did not realize their find at first. When Kuan Yin was brushed and washed and emerged in her white marble splendor, they gasped at the beauty of the carving, the perfection of detail down to the very toes.

But not until the statue was shipped to America and Mr. Larkin, himself unable to classify this deity with all his knowledge of Buddhist philosophy, summoned the best archeologists in Boston to his aid, was the fact brought home to him that, in Kuan Yin, he had a mystery.

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# Two McCormick Girls, a Billion Dollars Apart, Defy All for Love

*How Parallel Romances Inspired the Rockefeller Heiress and Her Factory Girl Neighbor to Leave Home, Declaring: "I'll Marry the Man I Love"*

Helen McCormick, the Pretty Factory Girl, Who Left Home for Love, Just as Mathilde Did.

Mathilde McCormick, the Favored Granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, in Love with a Swiss Riding Master.

Major Max Oser, the Riding Master, Engaged to the Heiress to the Greatest Fortune on Earth.



Helen McCormick and Adolph Rousseau, the Man She Wants to Marry, and Their Home.

**T**WO girls with the same name! Two girls with the same fate! Two girls whose lives, thus far, have run in an amazing parallel along the path of love!

One of them heiress to the greatest fortune in the world.

The other a factory operative, who earns less in an entire year than the first girl might pay for a bangle to adorn her little finger!

Probably neither of these girls has ever seen the other. Yet they are neighbors. Their lives have been totally apart, separated by social barriers, education, money—all the things that even in a democratic land set up a wall higher than mountains, stronger than steel.

Yet how absolutely alike their stories when touched by the universal lever of love!

The first of these girls is Mathilde McCormick, daughter of Harold McCormick and the reaper millions, granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller and the oil billions, of Tarrytown.

The second is Helen McCormick, daughter of a mechanic and granddaughter of a day laborer.

This second girl lives in a cottage in Yonkers. From an upper window of her humble dwelling she can glimpse the treetops of Pocantico Hills, the magnificent Rockefeller estate overlooking the Hudson.

Perhaps, on a sightseeing Sunday, she goes as far as the great iron-grill of the Rockefeller grounds, and in at the rolling lawns, the rambling driveways, the marvellous trees and flowers. She has never seen the gray mansion, for it is hidden behind the hills and trees. Armed guards around the sacred precincts as if they enclosed the palace of a czar.

Yet the God of Love, who respects neither palaces nor cottages, entered both households on a precisely similar mission and left an astonishingly similar problem in his wake.

All the world knows how Mathilde McCormick, the heiress, fell in love with Max Oser, Swiss riding master and stable owner—how her family opposed the match—how she defied them all—how she fled from her grandfather and mother and

said, "Family or no family—opposition or no opposition—I'll marry the man I love."

That's the problem old John D. Rockefeller is worrying over in his palace, amid his trees and flowers and Italian sunken gardens, on Pocantico Hills.

Now listen to the amazingly parallel problem which the family of the other McCormick girl is confronting in the Yonkers cottage.

But listen, first, to an astonishing additional detail by which the histories of these two girls of the same name are linked—and ponder on what a tiny world this is.

Mathilde McCormick is the daughter of Harold McCormick and Edith Rockefeller McCormick. Some time ago Harold McCormick and his wife were divorced, and McCormick subsequently married Ganna Walska, the opera singer. Ganna Walska, in order to marry McCormick, was divorced from the rich Alexander Cochrane—and Cochrane is the owner of the carpet factory in Yonkers where Helen McCormick's sweetheart works!

Not only have these two girls the same family name, but in this additional strange way are the complicated affairs of the two families linked!

But now listen to the real parallel in the love story of the girl in the cottage with that of the girl in the mansion.

Helen McCormick, seventeen years old and pretty, is an expert sewing machine operative in an overall company in Yonkers. Until recently she lived in a small factory community on its outskirts, with her parents and younger sisters. Her father is an engineer, very Irish, stern and old-fashioned in his views, and her mother is from the "old country."

Helen's parents both had the old-fashioned idea of parental discipline. Despite the fact that Helen was American born and self-supporting, they felt that she should defer to their wishes and judgment in everything. Working in a hot factory all day, she felt that she was entitled to some of the happiness of life and some of its innocent amusements. She felt, too, that at seventeen she was old enough to have beaux—old enough to be thinking of her future, and perhaps of marriage.

She wanted, at least, to go occasionally to the movies and theatres of the neighborhood, and to have young men as friends.

With these ideas her parents entirely disagreed. Of course, they believed she would marry some day, but she was too young to be thinking of it yet, and when

she did they wanted her to marry some one whom their superior judgment would approve as suitable.

Helen, a good girl, thought they were unreasonable, but she was not openly defiant—until a new family, by the name of Rousseau, moved into the community. The daughter of the family became Helen's chum and introduced her to the brother, Adolph Rousseau, a fine, hand-

some fellow, who worked in the carpet factory.

Helen and Adolph say it was a case of mutual "love at first sight."

At any rate, Adolph, serious minded and with declared intentions, openly defied Helen's parents. He came of an evening to sit with Helen on the front porch of the McCormick cottage—he invited Helen to the movies and the theatres, and she accepted his invitations.

Helen's life was made miserable at home. Just as the Rockefeller and other McCormick girl's family had told Mathilde in the case of Max Oser, now this McCormick girl's family told her:

"We will not consent to this marriage. You are much too young. This man is not suitable for you. You should wait until you are older and know your own mind better. And then you should marry some one of whom your family approves."

And just as Mathilde McCormick defied her family, Helen McCormick defied hers, and said:

"Family or no family—objection or no objection—I'll marry the man I love!"

And just as Mathilde McCormick had fled from her grandfather and mother, so now Helen McCormick fled from her family until the matter could be adjusted.

Naturally, the manner of flight was not the same. Mathilde, who had managed to obtain the sympathy if not the approval of one member of her family at least—her father—left her mother and grand-

father and other members of the family and went to her father's palatial mansion in Chicago—and later with him to the continent.

Helen McCormick, who hadn't the pathy of any of her family at that and who couldn't have gone to Chicago or the continent any more than she could have flown to Mars, simply lived up her belongings and went to live, and respectfully and properly chafed with her girl chum and the parents' fiancé, in the Rousseau household.

Helen McCormick's family ran a frightful row. It didn't get onto the pages of all the newspapers in the city as the McCormick-Rockefeller-Oser family row did, but it caused Helen much unhappiness and just as many tears.

Helen's parents demanded of the seas that their daughter be returned to them. Helen refused to go. "The law on her and put her away in an institution until she was twenty-one," she still refused and a legal suit followed. Helen went into court and faced her parents. There was no sympathy for her character, and none for her fiancé. Right in court she gave her father a sample of his own temper, and said she would never to his household so long as he forced to choose between her family and the man she loved. The judge took sides against her parents. She is now in a Catholic club, still self-supporting and self-respecting, seeing her fiancé often as she pleases, frequently spending the evening at his home with his parents and sister. She says she never goes home unless her parents' consent to the marriage.

And this is the amazing parallel lives of the two McCormick girls. One is immensely rich and wants to marry a fellow-factory worker. The other with her hands for a living and with a fellow-factory worker. By these girls, confronted by the same problem, meet it with exactly the same decision:

"Family or no family—objection or objection—I'll marry the man I love!"

Castle Racine Where Mathilde McCormick Hopes to Spend Her Honeymoon.

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